145 Pendleton Drive
Athens, Georgia 30601
August 6, 1975

Mrs. Dan B. Jordan
1530 Hawthorne Street
Houston, Texas 77006

Dear Mrs. Jordan:

Thank you for your letter of August 4 and its request for the location of the Holmes family in Wilkes County, Georgia, in the hope that that information will help to locate your Jordan ancestors.

I can not stop to write a long letter now, but let me send you several items:

1. My wife's statement of July 1973 concerning John Holmes (1747-1803), which deals with certain traditions found in D.A.R. and other records.

2. Virginia S. Wood & Ralph V. Wood, 1805 Georgia Land Lottery, published 1964, places a Benjamin Jordan in Burke County.

3. Alvaretta K. Register, Index to the 1830 Census of Georgia, published 1974, includes: Benjamin Jordan, Jasper County (page 353); Benjamine Jordan, Washington County (page 256); Benj. S. Jordan, Baldwin County (page 30); Benjamin Jourdan, Troup County (page 42); Benjamin Jourdin, Coweta County (page 381). The pages are census pages, not Index pages.

4. Georgia Genealogical Society Quarterly, Spring 1972, Volume 8, Number 1, Pages 63-65, presents the Georgia ministers from the Annual Register, 1790, of Baptist ministers. John Holmes (ordained in Spring 1791) and Balamy Bently were licensed ministers at Greenwood Church in Wilkes County. We do not know where Greenwood Church was.

5. Wilkes County Land Grants, Book C, pages 66, 142, & 216, show John Holmes receiving grants on Heard's Mill Creek, at the confluence of Beaverdam Fork and Germany's Fork of Long Creek, and Dry Fork of Long Creek. None of the neighbors is a Jordan. Copies could be ordered from Wilkes County, Washington, Ga.

6. Wilkes County Tax Digest for 1807 includes in District 17: Josiah B. Holmes, Clowe Holms, & John Holmes all on Longs Creek.

7. Wilkes County Tax Digest for 1809 includes in District 8 (Capt. John Holmes): B. Josiah Holms, James Holms, Chloe Holmes, John Holmes, all on Longs Creek.

8. On November 3, 1778, John Holmes was given a warrant for "two hundred acres in Wilkes County between Carrs fort and Benjamin Autrys land." We do not know where Carr's Fort was. There is a tradition in the family that John's son, James C. Holmes, was born in a fort in 1785. A photocopy of the 1778 warrant can be ordered from the Georgia Archives.

Well, the above is what we have! Hope it helps. We know the feeling when one is grasping for clues.

Please let us know if any new Holmes material comes to light and we shall do the same.

Holmes material he refers to, in Holmes File

Sincerely,

Homer C. Cooper

Ans. 25 Aug '75

502 Le Fevre
Salisbury, Mo. 65281
January 17, 1971

Dan B. Jordan
1530 Hawthorne
Houston, Tex. 77006

This is all the information I have on my Holmes family. I read your query in the "Family Tree". Does my family mean anything to you?

If you feel we have any connection I would appreciate hearing from you.

Sincerely,

Bette Hogue Leatherwood

Mrs. W.W. Leatherwood

P.S.

Because you live in Texas, I am enclosing a copy of my husband's line. You might know of someone interested in one of his lines and put them in touch with us, or vice versa. We will look forward to hearing from you.

compiler hereof:

Mrs. W. W. Leatherwood
502 LeFevre
Salisbury, Mo. 65281

b. Date of Birth
p.b. Place of Birth
m. Date of Marriage
d. Date of Death
p.d. Place of Death

1. Bette Laura Hogue
b. 14 Mar. 1932
p.b. Bartlesville, Okla
m. 27 May 1952

2. Robert James Hogue
(father of No. 1)
b. 24 April 1908
p.b. Coalgate, Okla.
m. 17 Aug. 1930
d.
p.d.

3. Mary Lucille Browning
(Mother of No.1)
b. 20 Feb. 1912
p.b. Okla. City, Okla
d.
p.d.

William Walter Leatherwood
(Husband or Wife of No.1)
b. 6 Mar. 1933
p.b. Paint Rock, Texas

4. Henry Bunyon Hogue
(Father of No. 2)
b. 23 Jan 1877
p.b. Boggy Depot, Ind. Ty.
m. 1st 1904
d. 25 April 1935
p.d. Coalgate, Okla.

5. Laura Nileson Blackwell
(Mother of No. 2)
b. 7 July 1880
p.b.
d. 11 Oct. 1911
p.d. Venus, N. Mex.

6. Joseph Milton Browning
(Father of No. 3)
b. 9 Dec. 1869
p.b. Lawrence Co., Mo.
m. 11 April 1907
d. 25 Sept. 1957
p.d. Okla. City, Okla

7. Gilberta Belle Carter
(Mother of No. 3)
b. 2 Nov. 1885
p.b. Birmingham, Ala
d.

8. "Buddy"
Erastus Seig Hogue
(Father of No. 4)
b. 26 Sept. 1846
p.b. Greene Co., Ga.
m. 1 Dec. 1870
d. 15 Feb. 1908; Coalgate, Okla.

9. Ty. Clara P. Holmes
b. 14 Dec. 1850
p.b.
d. 13 Apr. 1889
p.d. Dennison, Texas

10. William Newcum Blackwell
b. 13 June 1853
p.b. Wheel, Bedford Co., Tenn.
m. 24 Oct. 1872
d. 7 Mar. 1907
p.d. Tupelo, Ind. Ty.

11. Mary Elizabeth Edwards
b. 3 Apr. 1852
p.b. Winchester, Ark.
d. 24 Aug. 1899
p.d. Tupelo, Ind. Ty.

12. George Wesley Browning
b. 3 April 1848
p.b. Lawrence Co., Mo.
m. 14 Feb. 1869
d. 9 Feb. 1929
p.d. Wynona, Okla.

13. Nancy Jane Wilks
b. 22 June 1848
p.b. Lawrence Co., Mo.
d. 15 June 1945
p.d. Stillwater, Okla.

14. Gilbert Matthew Carter
b. 22 Apr. 1857
p.b. Ashville, N.C.
m. 5 Nov. 1884
d. 8 Oct. 1936
p.d. Long Beach, Calif.

15. Mary Belle Johnson
b. 28 June 1861
p.b. Nashville, Tenn.
d. 4 March 1936

16. Robert Jasper Hogue
1820-1906; b. Ga.

17. Clarissa Jenkins
1823-1902 b. Ga.

18. Warren H. Holmes over

19. Eudocia Davis

20. John N. Blackwell
1828-1853; b. Tenn.

21. Martha J. Wood
(b. 1835) N.C.

22.

23.

24. Elisha Browning, M.D.
1821-1900; b. Tenn.

25. Guley Elmer Mary Rinker
(1827-1868) b. Ind.

26. John Wilks
1812-1881 b. Va.

27. Mary "Polly" Strawn
1815-1886 b. Tenn.

28. William Carter
b. 1821 S.C.

29. Amanda Finely
b. 1827 S.C.

30. William Wallace Johnson
1827 or 1830-1886; b. Tenn.

31. Isabelle Frances Woods

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HUSBAND HOLMES, Warren H.
Occupation Church
Lived at
Military Service
Born Place
Married Place
Died Place
Buried at
Father Mother(nee)
Other wives

WIFE(nee) DAVIS, Eudocia Occupation Church
Born Place
Died Place
Buried at
Father Mother(nee)
Other husbands

sex	CHILDREN In Order of Birth	BIRTH Date	BIRTH Place	DEATH Date	DEATH Place	MARRIAGE Date & Place - Spouse & Par
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2 m	Henry					
3 f	Eva (Poddy)					A.L."Tony" Jones
4 f	Addie					
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Mrs. Vivian Hill Jordan
1530 Newtowne Street
Houston, Texas 77006
August 4, 1975

Mrs. Homer C. Cooper
145 Pendleton Drive
Atlanta, Georgia 30601

Dear Mrs. Cooper:

I exchanged letters with your husband in 1969 when my letter followed you folks to Missoula, Montana. My letter concerned our mutual Holmes lines. In researching my husband' Jordan line, I've come upon a block, as so often is the case, and I'm hoping that by taken a round about route, I might get a clue on how to further my research.

The line stops with John T. Jordan, b. 14 Oct. 1806; d. 26 Sept. 1859. Married Mary J. Holmes, 7 Sept. 1824. She was born 30 Dec. 1807; d. 16 March 1889. Daughter of James C. Holmes which your husband said was your line.

In the 1830 Census Pike Co., Georgia I found a Benjamin Jordan, age 70 living in the household of John T. Jordan. Middred Watkins is working on this with a cousin of my husbands. I know that John Holmes left a will in Wilkes County in 1805 and I'm betting if you could tell us a little of where your Holmes' were so maybe I could find my Benjamin! Benjamin was born ca. 1770, he must of died before 1860, for we do not find him in the Census. He died no will, etc.

Would appreciate any help or suggestions that you might give me.

Sincerely,

Mrs. Ben B. Jordan

200 Woodworth Avenue
Missoula, Montana 59801
August 11, 1969

Mrs. Dan Boswell Jordan
1530 Hawthorne Street
Houston, Texas 77006

Dear Mrs. Jordan:

Your letter of July 18 followed me to Montana where we shall be until August 22. After that date, my family and I shall return to our regular address:

145 Pendleton Drive
Athens, Georgia 30601

We no longer live at 100 Gail Drive in Athens, having moved in July 1967.

Yes, your husband's Holmes line and my wife's are the same. My wife is descended from Apsilla Holmes (1770-1854), who married 1790 Pitt Milner (1769-1839). They lived in Wilkes, Jones, and Monroe (now Lamar) counties, Georgia, until Pitt's death in 1839. Apsilla then moved to the home of a daughter in Henry County, Georgia, where she lived until her death in 1854.

James C. Holmes (born 1785), your husband's ancestor, was a brother of Apsilla, if I recall correctly. (My notes are in Georgia!) A person who could tell you more about him is Mrs. Mildred Watkins of the Shreveport Journal, Shreveport, Louisiana. Or have you already been in touch with her?

Apsilla and James were children of John Holmes and wife Chloe Bentley of Wilkes County, Georgia. John left a will in Wilkes County in 1803 (or 1802), but the year of Chloe's death is in doubt. If you have not seen this will, I think it would be of interest.

I regret that I do not have Jordan information, except data from a John T. Jordan & Mary L. Holmes family Bible that my informant received in 1962 from a Miriam Jordan. Among the marriage records in the Bible are two performed by Rev. James F. McLeod, who married a Milner [redacted] granddaughter of Pitt & Apsilla.

In Athens, we have a bill presented to Hannah Scott Bouland (1802-1876) for the tombstone of her deceased husband, William Bouland (1788-1852). (William & Hannah were my wife's great-great-grandparents. Their daughter Nancy married Johnathan James Milner.) If I am not mistaken, the man who prepared the stone, including carving the inscription, was your James C. Holmes. The bill was paid and, I believe, receipted by James C. Holmes. If you would like a Xerox copy of the bill and a map showing where William Bouland's grave is, I would be happy to send you a copy if you would remind me after I return to Georgia.

Sincerely, HC Cooper

Homer C. Cooper

May 23, 1969

Dear Mrs. Mangum;

Thank you for your Mangum Family Bulletin blanks and information. As 'Mangum' is just a distant side name to my Jordan Line, I do not believe that I will subscribe at this time. But, if I may, I'll keep this information on file, for one never knows about this tracing of ancestors, does one?

I would be most happy to accept your kind offer to insert my information....there is always an off chance that it might help some one and maybe give me a little clue as to who my John Thomas Jordans' mother and father were! There are several of us who are stuck right with him.

John Thomas Jordan was born Oct. 14, 1806 either Wilkes Co., Ga., or in N. C. He married Mary J. Holmes, b. Dec. 20, 1807, Wilkes Co., Ga. She was the daughter of James C. Holmes and Rebecca Pope Holmes, both natives of Wilkes Co., Ga. Mary J. had two sisters, one Malinda, b. April 18, 1810, who married Wiley E. Mangham Dec. 20, 1827. Mary J. named her second child after her sister--Malenda Mangham Jordan, b. Jan. 1831, d. May 15, 1891.

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Houston, Texas 77006

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Irving, Tex
May 20, 1969

Dear Mrs. Jordan:

Sorry I have been so long getting around to you. My mail has been heavy due to the trip I have just taken. Also my husband is a heart patient and takes lots of my time.

I do not have the Malenda Mangham Jordan, or Mary Jane Dorcas Jordon or do I know what the P. stands for in Thomas P. Mangum., wish I did. Due to the time and place you mention I do think it is worth looking into

I am sending you a subscription blank on the Mangum Bullitin. You may know about it, but just in case you dont. I believe this bullitin will be of great value to you if you are searching for Mangam, spelled in any form. I have been working with Mr Parham for some time now. We are trying to gather together, Mangham, Mangam, Mangan etc. from all over. Due to this any one looking for the name spelled as it may be, we may find it in the bulletin. You may also purchase the Mangum Arms through Mr. Parhm.

I would like to hear from you again, and if you are not going to subsc -ribe for the bullitin, if you will send me your material I will publish it for you. Mangum, Mangan, Mangham, or any way you find it spelled.

I sincerely thank you for taking the time to drop me a line.

Mrs. Mae Skiles Mangum
1017 Armeda St.
Irving, Tex. 75060

MANGUM FAMILY BULLETIN

This is to announce the publication of a new quarterly bulletin on the Mangum family. (also spelled Mangan, Mangham, Mangan, etc.) The bulletin will be printed beginning march 1969 and will cover Mangum records in the entire United States. Included will be Wills, deeds, marriages, births, deaths, cemetary records, court actions, lineages, letters, histories, etc. If you have a Mangum ancestor, the bulletin will be an invaluable aid in your research.

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TO: James L. Parham
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Dear Madam:

Please send a copy of the papers for the following men:

1. Phineas Stanton, b 28 Oct 1719 m. Elizabeth Stanton

2. John Holmes b. ca 1747 m. Chloe Bentley

3. William Bentley m. Mary Elliott

Enclosed is my check for $6.00. I am a member of Lady Washington Chapter # 483, Houston, Tex.

Thank you.

10 Oct 1981

Dear Madam;

Please be advised that I have received the wrong record.

The record for the above circled, John Holmes b. ca 1747, m. Chloe Bentley, I have not received.

Enclosed is the record that I did not ask for.

Please correct, thank you.

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Holmes

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Lionel H Brown
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Stone Mountain GA 30087

Thanks, Lionel

Sent 12 Mar '98

Thanks, Lionel (ext. 7-4711)

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Nor stop these wild flowers to gather—
They droop at my touch and decay!
I think of the flowers that are blooming
In beauty unfading above,
The wings of kind angels perfuming,
Who fly down on errands of love.

Of earth's shallow waters the drinking
Is powerless my thirst to allay;
Their taste is of tears, while we're sinking
Beside them where quicksands betray.
Along from the fount ever-living,
That flows by my Father's own door,
With waters so sweet and life-giving,
To drink and to thirst never more.

OBITUARY.

Bro. Baker,—I have been frequently struck, while reading obituary notices, at the triumph with which some christians leave the world. As the rays of the setting sun exhibit an unnatural splendor when contrasted with a dark and lowering horizon, so the brightest hour of their pilgrimage seems to be the hour of death.

It is our painful duty to record the death of one, whose piety was conspicuous, not so much in death as in life. Died at his residence, Walnut Grove Clark Co., Arkansas, JOHN BROWNING in the 77th year of his age. He was born in Caswell Co., N. C. on the 17th day of May A. D. 1767, removed to Georgia and married Nancy Peoples at the age of 25 years—joined the Baptist Church at the age of 35 years, at Shiloh Greene Co., Ga.; and was baptised by the Rev. James Heflin. Three months afterwards he was ordained Deacon of the church, the duties of which office he faithfully performed during the remainder of his pilgrimage on earth. At the age of 46 he entered the army of Gen. Floyd, in the Creek Indian war, as a captain of a Volunteer company, he performed an active part in the Battles of Autasee and Calebee; in the latter he had the honor of bleeding for his country. In 1811 he was elected a member of the legislature of Georgia. In 1819 removed to Alabama; and in 1822 was elected a member of the legislature of that State. He has been a member of 31 Associations and more than once moderator. In 1840 he emigrated to Arkansas, where he died on the 3rd day of May 1844. He was a member of the Baptist Church at Mt. Bethel, Clark Co., Arkansas, in which the church has sustained a great loss at the death of so useful a member.

He was brought up in the distressing times of the American revolution, consequently, he had not the advantages of a liberal education; yet his superiority of mind enabled him to discharge high and important offices of both Church and State.—He was of a lively disposition, always seemed desirous of making those happy about him; he was plain in his manners; as a citizen, he was patriotic; as a neighbor, obliging; as a parent, kind and indulgent, and as a companion, very affectionate. He has left a companion, several children, and numerous friends and relatives, to mourn the loss of so good a man. But one great consolation they have—he died as he had lived, in peace with mankind, and with his Maker. He has fulfilled the great end of his being and gone hence to adorn the shining courts of Heaven.

Softly his fainting head he lay,
Upon his Saviour's breast;
His Maker soothed his soul away,
And laid his flesh to rest.

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Departed this life, in Noxubee county, Ms., on the 5th of June, SOLOMON R. VICKERS, aged 48 years and 6 days. He united with the Baptist church in this place in 1840, from which time he took a deep interest in the cause of his Master. Soon after he joined the church he was licensed to preach, and he preached by example, as well as by precept. His house always afforded sweet repose and comfort to the wearied minister, and protection to the orphan and widow. In the removal of Brother Vickers, the missionary cause has lost a zealous advocate; and the Wahalak Baptist church one of her brightest ornaments. He left a wife and three children to mourn their irreparable loss. His theme was Christ and him crucified—being dead he yet speaketh. L.

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A neglect until the present. Died in Noxubee county, Ms., DICY CUTLIFF, on the 25th of September last, after a protracted illness which she bore with christian fortitude. She was the daughter of Zechariah and Jane Ray. She was born in Columbia county, Ga., on the 23d of March 1793. She was a member of the Baptist church 36 years—during which time she lived an orderly christian like life, and died in full assurance of a blessed immortality. She left a disconsolate husband and five children to mourn their loss—but their loss is her gain. L.

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Departed this life in Pike county, on the first day of last month, Mrs. REBECCA HOLMES, wife of Deacon James C. Holmes, in the 57th year of her age. For the last 19 years she had been a worthy and devoted member of the Baptist church. Her afflictions were of a painful and protracted nature, which she bore with great christian patience and fortitude. It would be needless to attempt to eulogize the character of this eminent saint of God. A short time before her death, the writer of this notice called to see her, as he thought, for the last time in this world of affliction, and who, like an *obedient* and *faithful* child of God, while she was conscious that her hour was near at hand, she spoke of her departure with pleasure, and remarked with deep solemnity, yet with great composure of mind, that she felt, that if this her Earthly House of this Tabernacle were dischaged, she had a [illegible] House not made with hands, eternal in the Heavens. Many indeed were the virtues and christian graces, of her pious and humble heart. As a Wife, she was affectionate and truly devoted; as a Mother, she was bound by the most *tender* ties of Parental affection, she endeavored at all times to teach her children the path of duty, and to bring them up in the nurture and admonition of the Lord; as a mistress, she was one of the most indulgent and humane. She manifested a great attachment to the humble, pious and devoted christian, and her *holy sympathy*, and *travail of spirit* for the poor mourning soul, and returning prodigal, was great indeed. In her death the church has lost one of her strongest pillows. She was truly a bright and shining light, and on her humble petitions through the Blessed Saviour, the ministers of Christ, have often leaned, and have been strengthened and comforted.—Her house was *truly a place of rest*, and *refreshment*, to the poor minister of the Cross; and to speak, and to hear of the Great and Glorious plan of Redemption through the beloved, and to *engage* in the service of her Heavenly Master, was her *chief delight*; for the word of the Lord was food to her spirit, and his people the *most excellent ones of the earth*. In her last moments she testified to all around her as long as she retained her senses, that when her trembling spirit took its flight from this tenement of clay, it would be immediately happy in the embraces of her precious Saviour. She exhorted all to prepare for the solemn and awful charge and then fell asleep in the arms of Jesus. She has left a dear husband and an affectionate family of children to mourn their loss. Yet they mourn not without hope. Though her voice is hushed in death, and her body entombed in the earth, yet may the fond recollection of her great worth be cherished by all with whom she moved, and may the Lord grant, that like her, we may all have Jesus formed in our souls the hope of Glory.

J. K.

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Died, in Warren county, on Tuesday morning the 2d inst., after a painful but short illness, ELIZABETH ELLEN, the youngest and only daughter of John M. and Harriet Sanford, in the 5th year of her age. It is needless to enter into a long and elaborate dissertation in reference to the little infant, whose untimely exit it is our painful duty to record; but the character of a child so interesting in its nature, and possessing a mind so well instructed in all the duties of Religion, will but serve to make a deep and lasting impression upon the minds of those who may have doubted the capability of children receiving Bible instruction, at an age so early. Although but little over four years of age, she not unfrequently memorized and recited lessons in Sabbath School equal to those of more mature years. But these privileges are over; her voice will not again be heard at Sabbath morn, chanting the hymn of praise to her Creator, and those of her classmates, who once welcomed her, will not meet her again. She is gone; her eyes will no more look upon those she loved, nor her form move again on earth. The rose has been nipt by the untimely hand of death, and the grave holds the body of her who will not rise again until the resurrection morn. Farewell, little one; a father and a mother's tears will fall unrestrained—but, they would not break the slumbers of the tomb, nor call back thy happy soul from the abodes of bliss to endure again the sorrows of earth; but will, with calm resignation, resign thy sainted spirit into the hands of the Redeemer and await that hour when they shall meet thee again in the paradise of God.

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Departed this life, on the 25th of May, 1844, Mary Lawson, the wife of David Lawson. She left this world with a strong hope of a better state of existence. She was a member of the Baptist Church about twenty years, and during that time her mind appeared much taken up in the service of God and the promotion of the Redeemer's kingdom. Mrs. Lawson labored under bodily disease for the last twenty-five years of her life; but, when able, she filled her seat in the house of the Lord. It may in truth be said, she was an affectionate wife, and an indulgent and careful Mistress. For the last few weeks of her life she was confined to the house and bed, but enjoyed much of the presence of the Lord, notwithstanding her affliction. For the last three or four days of her life she would often repeat these lines.

"It was for my sins my dearest lord,
Hung on the accursed tree,
And groaned away a dying life,
For thee my soul for thee.

Jesus can make a dying bed,
Feel soft as downy pillows are,
While on his breast I lean my head,
And breathe my life out sweetly there."

She said her doubts and fears were all removed, and her way clear, and hoped her husband and friends would not grieve after her. But Mary Lawson is gone and no doubt to a better world. Her sun sat without a cloud to intervene between her and her God. And I may the good Lord sanctify the dispensations of his providence to the good of those that are left behind to mourn her absence, is the prayer of the writer. F. CALLAWAY.

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Departed this life, on the 12th of June 1844, in Chambers Co., Ala., NANCY L. FITSPATRICK, the consort of Jesse Fitspatrick, in the 40th year of her age. She was a member of the Baptist Church at County Line in said Co., was married December 27 1820. She united with the Baptist Church in Morgan Co., Ga., at Sugar Creek, and was baptised by the Rev. Benj. Bussey, in 1827. Mrs. Fitspatrick has left six daughters and two sons, with an affectionate husband, to mourn their irreparable loss, with servants to mourn the loss of a good mistress. She lived an exemplary life as a christian, and took great interest in the cause of God and the promotion of the Redeemer's kingdom. Mrs. Fitspatrick was a loving wife, and an affectionate mother and very [illegible] to all her servants. She was beloved by all her neighbors, and stood high in the Church as an humble christian. She was confined to her house about two months before her death, with a disease called by the Physicians Phlegmasia-Dolens or derangement of the Liver. Her doubts and fears all gave way in the latter stage of her illness, and for several days was enabled to approach Death with calmness, having her hope anchored in Christ, her only Saviour. When death came to do his office on the body, having no power over the soul, she was enabled to bid adieu to all things below the sun with joy. So we may truly say, in her case, Blessed is the dead which die in the Lord, from hence forth; yea, saith the Spirit, that they may rest from their labors, and their works to follow them.

American Baptist Home Mission Society.

The editor of the Christian Index, brother Joseph S. Baker, formerly of Norfolk in this state, proposes that hereafter, the funds contributed to the above Society in the Baptists in Georgia, shall be given to employ missionaries in Louisiana, Arkansas, Texas, or confined to the Southern states. This course will no doubt be adopted by our brethren in Georgia; and we trust the example will be followed in all the Southern states; at least we trust that in Virginia this measure will be adopted.

Hitherto our contributions have been generally expended in the free States of the West, Michigan, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, and the territories of Iowa and Wisconsin. A few missionaries have been sent to Missouri, a still smaller number to Arkansas and Texas. Florida and Louisiana have been overlooked—equally destitute with Iowa and Wisconsin, and where probably a greater amount of good could be effected, with the same expense and labor.

The destitution of the fertile western region, the rapidly increasing population from foreign and native immigration, the necessity of supplying it with the means of grace, have been discussed in our periodicals, and urged on our attention by agents, until our sympathies have been awakened, and our donations liberally contributed to supply this important section with missionaries.—The Papists were flocking into the Valley, and missionaries must be sent to counteract their influence. The great West has been the theme of the orator and statesman. It has been the polar star of the religious world; the culminating point of its labors and expenditures. The American Home Mission Society have made it the chief scene of their operations, and other denominations, have been equally active in their efforts. Meanwhile the South and Southwestern new states, equally destitute, have been measurably overlooked.

The emigrants to the West have been chiefly from the New England and Middle states. Removing from a region in which every township had its church and minister, the contrast in these sparsely settled regions struck them most sensibly. They very naturally wrote home to their friends, of their great destitution of religious privileges, and implored help. The subject was urged at the meetings of the state conventions, and various missionary societies were formed, chiefly with a view to supply their destitution.

Public attention having been directed to the West, there was no difficulty in finding men willing to go to these healthy and fertile regions, and Ohio, Indiana, Michigan, and Illinois, having been liberally supplied with missionaries, and that to a considerable extent by the contributions of the South. If our own destitution had been fully supplied, this would have been a commendable course. But this was not the case. In the great southern commercial metropolis we have had no missionary, and it is yet without a Baptist M. H. In Florida, in Louisiana, in Arkansas, is an extensive field, more destitute, as far as Baptists are concerned, than any other in the United States. Indiana has an equal number of ministers with Alabama, Illinois with Mississippi, yet scores of missionaries have been sent to those two western states, and none to the latter.

The past cannot now be recalled, but let us at least profit by the lesson. We are now placed in circumstances in which it becomes our duty to take care of ourselves. At the last meeting of the Home Mission Society, a portion of its members evinced a decided hostility to the South. The action of the Society has not lessened this hostile feeling—on the contrary, judging from articles in the Northern periodicals, it is on the increase, and our opponents are preparing for a more decided onset at the next annual meeting. This feeling is the strongest in Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, and Michigan; yet these states, whilst supplying thousands of emigrants to the West, have never collectively given half as much in one year to the Home Mission Society, as has been contributed by Virginia in the same space of time. Why should we continue to give our funds to this section of our country, to send forth missionaries and raise up churches, who will choose delegates, perhaps, to our great benevolent institutions, to reward our labors by voting against us.

Few of our citizens emigrate to the free states of the West. They seek rather for homes in the South and South-west. In Florida, Louisiana, Arkansas, Texas and Missouri, Virginians abound. These are chiefly the homes of our friends and fellow-citizens who have gone from Eastern Virginia. These states and territories have the first claim on our sympathies, it is to their spiritual good our efforts should be directed. We should then be doing good to those who would appreciate our kindness, who would make common cause with us. By this course we should increase our strength and make the wisest use of our resources. We should aid in uniting the bonds of love and affection. The South is our appropriate field of labor; we must not only raise the means, but furnish the missionaries also. The states we have referred to will be the future homes of many of our descendants; we might, we must furnish them with gospel light, and give to those emigrants, equal religious privileges with ourselves.

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From the Macedonian.

Twenty-five Cents a month.—Several times, members of my church have come to me, saying, "I was not able to attend the last monthly concert, but I have determined, whether present or absent, to contribute twenty-five cents each month." If the members of Baptist churches would contribute this amount monthly, what a vast sum would be annually raised! Twenty-five cents each month would make three dollars in one year. Of all the Baptists in the United States are there not 50,000 willing to contribute the amount named? If only 25,000 would contribute this amount, the sum of $75,000 would be raised in one year. Surely, there must be a want of love for the souls of the heathen. Not one Baptist in twenty-four willing to contribute the small sum of twenty-five cents per month! Reader! can you not henceforth give at least twenty-five cents a month to send the gospel to the heathen? T. S. M.

Louisville, Ky.

Bro. Baker—Please give place in the Index to the following appointments, viz:

A Union Meeting with the United Baptist church at Shady Grove, Chambers Co., Ala., to commence Friday before the 1st Sabbath in August, to be continued three days if no more, at which time the Church requests all orderly Ministers of all religious denominations, who will preach repentance toward God, faith in Jesus Christ and obedience to his divine injunctions, as prerequisite to admission into his kingdom, to come and help, laying all controversy and sectarianism aside. And also, we invite all Ministers and Laymen of the above cast, to be with us at a Campmeeting at the above named place, commencing Thursday night before the 1st Sabbath in October, at which time and place the business of the Chattahoochee United Baptist Association will be transacted. The following Brethren from South Carolina, are especially invited, viz: Sanford Vandivere, Daniel Mangum, and Stephen Leverett, as we presume some one or all of them are patrons of the Index, they will get the appointments.

Done in conference by order of the church.

P. REEVES, Mod.

C. J. FLOYD, C. Clerk.

June 1, 1844.

GEORGIA ASSOCIATION.

A number of the churches of this Association have reported to the Executive Committee of the Association the destitution of the bible in their respective bounds. This is in accordance with the resolution of the Association, as it is printed in the Minutes.

But as the Committee have no funds in hand to supply such destitution, it is hoped that each church will endeavor to procure the means to supply its own destitution.—A number of the churches have already done this. It is hoped all will be able to do so, and report at the next meeting of the Association the amount of their labors in this service. Bibles can be had very low at the Depository in Augusta.

B. M. SANDERS, Chairman
Ex. Com. Geo. Asso.

PAPERS WANTED.

It is requested by a special friend of the late Dr. Andrews Battle, of LaGrange, that an Essay which he prepared on the subject of Baptism, and read to the church and congregation at Zebulon, when he resided at that place, and which he lent to a friend a short time previous to his death, be forwarded to his widow, sister Caroline Battle, at LaGrange, or to the undersigned.—Also all letters on religious subjects which he wrote to his numerous friends, as it is contemplated to publish a memoir of that good man. JAMES DAVIS.

Enon Grove, Head co. Ga.

APPOINTMENTS

John Harris will preach, if the Lord will, at Smyrna, Monday after the fourth Sunday in this month; Tuesday at Horeb; Wednesday at Friendship; at Rev. A. Atkin's at night; Thursday at Reedy Creek, and Friday at Ways' M. H.

July 1st, 1844.

MERCER UNIVERSITY.

The public examination of the Pupils connected with this Institution will take place on Monday and Tuesday, the 29th and 30th of July.

S. P. SANFORD,
Secty. of the Faculty.

Penfield, June 7, 1844.

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Baker,	*Newton.*
Early,	*Blakley.*
Decatur,	*Bainbridge.*
Pulaski,	*Hawkinsville.*

He will also visit, personally, debtors residing in any of the above Counties for the purpose of obtaining security, effecting settlements, &c., whenever so requested and when the amount of the claim will justify him in so doing.

The churches composing the Rock Mountain Association, and those bodies with whom she corresponds, will remember that the next annual meeting of that body will be held with the church at Zion, (Newton County,) on the road to McDonough, commencing Saturday before the second Sabbath in September next.

ELISHA HENDERSON, Clk.

June [illegible], 1844.

Georgia Baptist Publication Book Depository.

The following books belonging to the Geo. Bap. Association may be had at the Drug Store of Messrs. J. B. & W. H. Turpin, Augusta, at the prices annexed, which are the retail prices of the publishers. Any Society, Church, Agent or Pastor taking $10 worth or more for sale, or distribution will be allowed 20 per cent discount, All sales for cash only.

Ripley's Notes on Acts,	$0 75
Malcom's Dictionary,	50
Hague's Guide, vol. 1,	17
" " " 2,	17
Lincoln's Cl. Book,	12½
" Questions,	8½
Bible Closet,	31¼
Marriage Ring,	31¼
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Daily Manna,	31¼
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Casket of Jewels,	31¼
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Union,	50
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Malcom's Travels,	2 50
Christian Union,	17
Theatre,	25
Campbell and Fenelon,	1 12
Church Discipline,	42
Church member's Guide,	38
Scripture Nat. History,	1 00
Classical Studies,	1 50
Karen Apostle,	50
My progress in Error	63
Wayland's Col. System,	50
Memoir of Boardman,	75
" of Mr. Judson,	85
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Roger Williams,	1 00
Melancthon,	75
Imitation of Christ,	38
Female Scripture Biography,	83
Baxter's St's. Rest,	50
Halls Help,	42
Buck's Religious Experience,	50
Baptismal Question,	67
Baptism, its own Witness,	12½
Jewett on Baptism,	25
Psalmist 18mo. sheet,	75
Hinton on Baptism,	75
Howell on Communion,	62½
Booth's reign of Grace,	50
Backus' church History,	50
Hall on Modern Infidelity,	25
My Progress in Error.	56
Pengilly on Baptism,	25
Setts Bound Tracts,	50
Pastor and Flock,	15
Memoir of Clopton,	62½
Spiritual Voyage,	20
Gertrude,	10
Floods,	15
Ellie Maurice	20
John Frink,	20
Winslow on the Spirit,	75
Malcom on the atonement,	31
Memoirs of Brainerd,	31
" of Payson,	44
Baptism its own Witness,	13
Pendleton on Baptism,	50
Chapin on Baptism,	13
Fuller on Communion,	50
Infant Baptist a part and Pillar of Popery,	13
Communicant's Companion,	50
Witnessing church,	17
Claims of Jesus,	31
James' Anxious Enquirer,	50
Advice to Young Christians,	37½
Doddridge's Rise and Progress,	44
Abbott's Young Christian,	62½
Cox's History of Mission,	2 50
Book of Martyrs,	1 75
Woolsey on Baptism,	62½
Allein's Alarm,	12½
Hinton on the Propheries,	87½

CAMP MEETING.

A Baptist Campmeeting will commence, the Lord willing, on Thursday before the third Sabbath in August next, three miles North-east of the Roswell Factory, Cobb County, Ga., right on the Martin's ferry road, leading from Decatur to Canton, at the Camp Ground where the Hightower Association convened the last year. We cordially invite all friends favorable to the cause, and earnestly solicit the Ministering Brethren of our denomination to attend and give us their aid. The location is in a pleasant, and well watered section of country, in the midst of a dense population, well calculated to entertain as many as will favor us with a visit at that time.

This Campmeeting is to be held in the bounds of Lebanon Church, where the Lord is at work. We think we have lately witnessed some of the most pleasing meetings here that we have ever seen in our lives. There have been 20 baptized recently, while numbers, we hope, are earnestly seeking the salvation of their souls. The work is progressing, and we hope the Lord will carry it on until there shall stand up an exceeding great army to praise his name. What a field for labor, where poor sinners are weeping and panting for salvation! Ye heralds of the cross, will you come?

The Church at Lebanon,
HENRY COLLINS, Pastor.

THE undersigned, a resident native of Maryland, and a graduate of Pennsylvania College, wishing to devote himself to the instruction of youth, would respectfully proffer his services in the capacity of Teacher. His acknowledged skill and experience, and the high testimonials of moral character and competency that can be presented, justify his application to an enlightened public, for a responsible and well endowed Rectorship.

In addition to those branches generally embraced in a collegiate course he is fully competent to teach the German and French languages.

Applications stating the health of location, amount of salary and state of morality, will meet with prompt attention, if addressed to D. H. BITTLE,
Boonsboro,
Washington co., Md.

N. B.—His present engagements, however, are such as preclude the possibility of entering upon the discharge of the duties of any rectorship that he may accept until the early part of the fall D. H. B.

Camp Meeting.

A Baptist Camp-meeting will, if the Lord permit, on Thursday third Sabbath in September next, in Newert Paulding Co., Ga. All [illegible] cause and particularly the min[illegible] denomination are earnestly and [illegible]ly invited to attend and give [illegible] The location is pleasant and he[illegible]nished with springs of the best water. We trust that our friend[illegible] low county will avail themselves [illegible]portunity both to enjoy the he[illegible] climate and water for a short [illegible] the sickly season and to come [illegible] help of the Lord in this destitute country.

JOSEPH MORGAN,
of Vanwert C[illegible]

20th May, 1844.

PROTRACTED MEETI[illegible]

A meeting will be commence[illegible] Baptist Church, Hayneville, Hou[illegible] on Friday night before the first Lor[illegible] in August next, to be continued as c[illegible] stances may seem to justify. The [illegible] ters of the Rehoboth Association, an[illegible] ers who may feel inclined to visit u[illegible] affectionately invited to do so; and b[illegible] ren and friends in the neighborhood a[illegible] a distance, are informed that arrange[illegible] will be made for their accommodation.

A. T. HOLMES,
Pastor of the Chur[illegible]

Rev. J. Q. West and Rev. Rad[illegible] may be expected to preach at [illegible] in South Carolina, Monday and [illegible] Lord's day in August; Tuesday [illegible] Wednesday at Turkey Creek; Th[illegible] at Broad Mouth; from thence to meet the Brethren composing the Saluda [illegible] ciation on Friday.

Camp Meeting.

A Camp Meeting will be held at t[illegible]non's M. H., Franklin county, co[illegible] ing on Thursday before the first Lord's in August. Ministering brethren gene[illegible] are most affectionately invited to attend.

M. W. VANDIVERE, Pastor.

☞ The Examination of the Pupil[illegible] the Penfield Female Seminary, will be [illegible] on Thursday and Friday, 25th and 26[illegible] July. The Parents and Guardians, [illegible] friends of science in general, are invited [illegible] attend.

June 14, 1844.

TO MECHANICS.

The Trustees of Mercer University, Pe[illegible] field, Ga., design to erect with as little de[illegible] lay as possible, a handsome and substantial building for a Chapel; and invite proposals either for parts, or for the whole of the work. The dimensions of the building with a brief outline of the plan, will be found below. It is required that each Mechanic who offers proposals, shall specify in minute detail, the quantity and kind of materials which he will use, and the manner and style in which the work shall be executed; just as if his specifications were designed to be the basis of a contract with another workman. From the skill which each applicant may thus evince, in filling up the outlines of the plan, as well as from the prices which he may affix, and the testimonials which he may present, the Trustees will judge of the expediency of entering into contract with him. The proposals should be sent, sealed, to B. M. Sanders, Secretary B. Trustees, Penfield, before the 25th day of July next.

OUTLINES OF PLAN.

A brick edifice with stone foundation, 75 feet by 50, with a basement, 11 ft. 2 in. high, and a principal story with a gallery together, 25 ft. 6 in. high. Two ascents within the walls from the lower floor to the gallery, by stairs in each end of vestibule of 9 feet in breadth, taken from one end of the basement and of the principal story. At each corner of the basement, a room 15 ft. 3 in. by 15 7, leaving passages and Lecture room between them. From one of these rooms a private stairway to the pulpit in the story above. The pulpit to be merely a movable table or desk on an elevated platform at one end of the building, and the seats to be pews without doors. The gallery to be in front and on each side sloping and furnished with seats like those below. The walls and the ceiling to be plastered, and the front end rough cast. All the wood work within and without to be painted.

Stone for the foundation and a quantity of brick for inside work, will be furnished, and a fair deduction in the price will be required, according to the value of these materials.

B. M. SANDERS, Sec.
Board Trustees Mercer University.

P. S.—Athens Banner, Milledgeville Recorder, Chronicle & Sentinel, and Constitutionalist, Augusta, are requested to publish this twice in this month.

NEW CATECHISM.

"An Improved Chatechism, intended to assist in the Religious Instruction of Children, in families and Sabbath Schools. Examined and approved by a committee of the Baptist Convention of the State of Georgia."—For sale at this office.

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Feb. 16, 1844.

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1819 Land Lottery

	Draws
dec'd.	1
Eason, Parker	2
Eason, Isaac	2
Eason, John	2
Eckels, James	1
Eckels, William	1
Eckels, Edward, Jr.,	1
Favor, Matthew	2
Favor, Thomas	1
Favor, Mary wid.	1
Favor, Reuben	2
Favor, John, gdn. of orphs. of John Favor, dec'd.	1
Fanning, Bryan	1
Garrett, John	2
Hammell, Jas. Sr., old sol.	2
Hammell, Jas.	2
Hammell, Clarke	2
Hammell, George	2
Holmes, Josiah, B.	2
Holmes, James C.	2
Hancock, Bennett	2
Hancock, William, Sr.	2
Hancock, William, Jr.	1
Hancock, Nancy wid	1
Hancock, William, Sr., old sol.	4
Hancock, Nancy, next friend to orphs. of Thos. Hancock, dec'd.	1
Hengson, Richard	2
Harper, William	1
Harper, James	2
Hood, Joel	2
Hood, John	2
Hood, Burwell	2
Huddleston, George	2
Jackson, Sarah wid.	1
Jackson, Sarah, next friend to orphs. of Daniel Jackson, dec'd.	1
Jarrell, Thomas, old sol.	1
King, Polly, wid.	1
King, Polly, next friend to orphs. of Bennett King, dec'd.	1

	Draws
Littleton, Enoch	2
Littleton, John	2
May, Solomon	2
Matthews, Abraham M.	2
McLaughlin, William	2
McLaughlin, James	2
McKnight, Charles	2
Moore, Hill	2
Moore, John	2
Moore, Seaborn	2
Millner, Willis, J.	1
Millner, John B.	2
McCord, John	2
Malone, Jesse	1
Owen, Uriah	2
Owen Obediah	2
Owen, Bricey M.	2
Ogletree, John	2
Poss, Henry	2
Poss, Nicholas	1
Pullen, Thomas	2
Phillips, Early	1
Peterman, Jacob	1
Reynolds, Silas	2
Reeves, Thomas	1
Reeves, Beriah B.	1
Reeves, William	2
Reeves, Richard	2
Rumsey, Reuben	1
Rumsey, Richard, old sol.	1
Rutledge, William P.	2
Sappington, Richard	2
Sappington, Caleb	2
Sappington, William	1
Washington, George H.	2
Wheatley, Curtis	2
Woolbright, Jacob, Sr.	2
Woolbright, Jacob, Sr., next friend to orprhs. of Garland Owen, old sol. dec'd.	2
Willia, James D.	1
Weatherly, John	2
Weaver, William	1
Woolbright, Jacob, Jr.	1

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1819 Land Lottery

	Draws
dec'd.	1
Eason, Parker	2
Eason, Isaac	2
Eason, John	2
Eckels, James	1
Eckels, William	1
Eckels, Edward, Jr.,	1
Favor, Matthew	2
Favor, Thomas	1
Favor, Mary wid.	1
Favor, Reuben	2
Favor, John, gdn. of orphs. of John Favor, dec'd.	1
Fanning, Bryan	1
Garrett, John	2
Hammell, Jas. Sr., old sol.	2
Hammell, Jas.	2
Hammell, Clarke	2
Hammell, George	2
Holmes, Josiah, B.	2
Holmes, James C.	2
Hancock, Bennett	2
Hancock, William, Sr.	2
Hancock, William, Jr.	1
Hancock, Nancy wid	1
Hancock, William, Sr., old sol.	4
Hancock, Nancy, next friend to orphs. of Thos. Hancock, dec'd.	1
Hengson, Richard	2
Harper, William	1
Harper, James	2
Hood, Joel	2
Hood, John	2
Hood, Burwell	2
Huddleston, George	2
Jackson, Sarah wid.	1
Jackson, Sarah, next friend to orphs. of Daniel Jackson, dec'd.	1
Jarrell, Thomas, old sol.	1
King, Polly, wid.	1
King, Polly, next friend to orphs. of Bennett King, dec'd.	1

	Draws
Littleton, Enoch	2
Littleton, John	2
May, Solomon	2
Matthews, Abraham M.	2
McLaughlin, William	2
McLaughlin, James	2
McKnight, Charles	2
Moore, Hill	2
Moore, John	2
Moore, Seaborn	2
Millner, Willis, J.	1
Millner, John B.	2
McCord, John	2
Malone, Jesse	1
Owen, Uriah	2
Owen Obediah	2
Owen, Bricey M.	2
Ogletree, John	2
Poss, Henry	2
Poss, Nicholas	1
Pullen, Thomas	2
Phillips, Early	1
Peterman, Jacob	1
Reynolds, Silas	2
Reeves, Thomas	1
Reeves, Beriah B.	1
Reeves, William	2
Reeves, Richard	2
Rumsey, Reuben	1
Rumsey, Richard, old sol.	1
Rutledge, William P.	2
Sappington, Richard	2
Sappington, Caleb	2
Sappington, William	1
Washington, George H.	2
Wheatley, Curtis	2
Woolbright, Jacob, Sr.	2
Woolbright, Jacob, Sr., next friend to orprhs. of Garland Owen, old sol. dec'd.	2
Willia, James D.	1
Weatherly, John	2
Weaver, William	1
Woolbright, Jacob, Jr.	1

1810 Census

LOCAL COMMUNITY
or SUB-COUNTY UNIT _____ COUNTY Georgetown STATE S.C.

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Name of Head of Family	FREE WHITE MALES					FREE WHITE FEMALES					All other free persons except Indians not taxed.	SLAVES
	under 10 yrs. of age	of 10 and under 16 yrs.	of 16 and under 26 yrs. including heads of families	of 26 and under 45 yrs. including heads of families	of 45 yrs. & upwards including heads of families	under 10 yrs. of age	of 10 and under 16 yrs.	of 16 and under 26 yrs. including heads of families	of 26 and under 45 yrs. including heads of families	of 45 yrs. & upwards including heads of families		
pg 210												
Joseph Holmes	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0		4
(next door - Isaac Gordon)												

1673 This Indenture Made and agreed to this tenth day of June
in the Year of our Lord One thousand seven hundred and Eighty-
seven Between John Holmes of the County of Wilkes and State
of Georgia of the one part, and Jeremiah Reeves of the County and
State aforesaid, Witnesseth That I said John Holms for and in
Consideration of the sum of One hundred and fifty Pounds Sterling
Money of this State to him in hand paid by the said Jeremiah
Reeves the Receipt whereof the Sd John Holms doth Hereby
Acknowledge hath bargained, sold and aliened and confirmed and by
these Presents doth Grant bargain and sell alien and Confirm
unto the said Jeremiah Reeves his Heirs and Assigns forever
a Certain Tract of Land or Parcel of Land Situate Lying and Being
in County of Wilkes Containing Three hundred and Twelve Acres
on the South side of the dry fork, and on the Lower side of Smiths
Beaver Dam Bounded by John Milners, Sanders Walkers —
Dianatians Olivers Lands Granted to John Holmes by Two Grants
Dated the 24th of September and the 26th of October in the Year
1784 and hath such form, marks and Shape as a Plat to the —
Original Grants Annexed doth more fully and at Large Appear
Together with all and Singular the Gardens, Fences, Ways Water
Water Courses, Trees, Woods, and Under Woods Swomps pastures
Profits Commodities, Advantages, Herediaments and Appur-
tenances Whatsoever to the said Tract or Parcel of Land Contain-
ing Three hundred and Twelve Acres belonging or in any
wise Appertaining and the Reversion and Reversions —
Remainder and Remainders, Rents and Services of the said
Premises, with all the rite, title, claim and demand Whatso-
ever of him the said John Holms and Eloe his Wife them their
Heirs, Executors, Administrators &c. of in or to the said
Tract of three hundred and Twelve Acres and every part or
Parcel thereof To have and to Hold the said Tract or
Parcel of Land with the Appurtenances unto the said Jeremiah
Reeves his Heirs and Assigns to the Only Proper use and behoof
of him the said Jeremiah Reeves his Heirs and Assigns forever
And the said John Holms and Eloe his Wife for themselves their Heirs
the said Tract of Land and Premises and every Part thereof Against
themselves their Heirs and Assigns and all other Persons Whatsoever
unto him the said Jeremiah Reeves and his Heirs and Assigns
shall Warrant and forever defend by these Presents

In Witness whereof we the said John Holmes
and Eloe hath hereunto set our hands and

BOOK DD Wilkes Co

Day and Date above Written.

Sealed Signed and Delivered
In the Presents of us

Test
Dichey Berkshire
Rebecah her Mx Beever
mark

John Holmes Seal

her
Chloe + Holmes Seal
mark

1788 March the 22
Then this deed was Acknowledged
before me
Sam[l] Jn[o] Harris J. P.

Registered the 22nd of July 1789

This Indenture made this ninth day of April, In the Year of our Lord, One thousand seven hundred, and Eighty-eight Between William Foster & Phebe his Wife of the County of Wilkes and State of Georgia of the One Part & Absalom Biddle Esq[r] of the County & State aforesaid of the other Part Witnesseth. That the said William Foster and Phebe his Wife for & in Consideration of the sum of Fifty Pounds Sterling in Specie to them in hand paid the Receipt whereof they do hereby Acknowledge & therewith fully Satisfyed, Hath, bargained, granted, Sold, aliened Enfeoffed, released, and Confirmed, unto the said Absalom Bedell his Heirs and Assigns forever, A Tract or Parcel of Land Containg Two hundred & Twenty-five Acres, be the same more or Less Situate & Lying, on Beaverdam Creek in the said County of Wilkes & is a part of a Tract of Five hundred and fifty-four Acres, Granted to the said William Foster, Bearing date the twentieth of January 1784. Viz[t] Beginning at a sycamore on the Little River Running thence North seventy-four east fifteen poles to a White Oak, thence along the Boundres of the said Land Agreeable to the above mentioned Grant, Until it Strikes the Branch formerly Known by name of Thompsons, Spring Branch, thence down the said Branch as it Meanders, to Beaverdam Creek, thence up the said creek to a Red Oak, thence South to a black Oak, thence East along the said Biddles old Line, to the said Creek, thence South along the said Lines Agreeable to the said Grant to the River, thence down the said River as it Meanders to the Begoning. Together with all and Singular the Rights Members, And Appurtenances, thereof Whatsoever, to the said Tract or Parcel of Land belonging or in any wise appertaining thereunto, & also all the Estate, Right, Title, Interest, Claim and Demand of them the said William Foster and Phebe of, in, and to the same

Book DD Wilkes Co

Wilkes Co. Ga. Will book (Mrs. Robinson)

John Holmes- wife Cleo. Daughters: Apsila Milner
Penelope Milner
Mary Parkes
4-sons: Josiah, John, James the oldest (4th??)
Daughter Elizabeth
Son Moses
George Wilis, Sr., Legette
Gere Bentley and 3 sons-Josiah, John, & James
Administrators. 4/Sept. 1802
Probated 8/Mar./1803
Jeremiah Reeves & Milicah Reeves Testators

HH Will Book 117pg.
Inventory of Aquilla Burroughs Dec.
pg. 134 15/Nov/1808 Geo. Willis Pitt Milner
Appraisers; Wm. Davis and Ivy Eason

Pg. 231 Geo. Willis wife Susannah Granddaughter Aseneth
Joseph Willis at majority to be managed by Richard J. Willis.
To her brother Wm. C. Willis, certain slaves in the same manner.
To John C. Willis, what I've already given To son, Richard J.-slave
and land. Daughter Elizabeth D. Milner, what I've already given.
Sons Richard J. and James D. Executors 12/Mar/1824 Probated 1827
Lewis Barrett Luke Turner Thomas Tullin (Witness?)

Pitt Milner Calloway b 12/ Oct/1812 Oldest son Joshua S. and
Mary Milner Calloway m E. W. Jordan 10/Dec. 1833 Talbot Co. Ga.
Moved to Eufaula, Alabama then to Dale Co. Alabama.
(Father of Mary M. Calloway was John Milner)

Enoch Calloway m Patsy Reeves Wilkes Co. Ga. 2/Nov. 1812

1840 Census Part I

LOCAL COMMUNITY or SUB-COUNTY UNIT _____ COUNTY Pike STATE GA

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PART I OF SCHEDULE

	NAME OF HEAD OF FAMILY	FREE WHITE PERSONS (including heads of Families)																									
		MALES													FEMALES												
		under 5 yrs. of age	of 5 and under 10	of 10 and under 15	of 15 and under 20	of 20 and under 30	of 30 and under 40	of 40 and under 50	of 50 and under 60	of 60 and under 70	of 70 and under 80	of 80 and under 90	of 90 and under 100	of 100 and upwards	under 5 yrs. of age	of 5 and under 10	of 10 and under 15	of 15 and under 20	of 20 and under 30	of 30 and under 40	of 40 and under 50	of 50 and under 60	of 60 and under 70	of 70 and under 80	of 80 and under 90	of 90 and under 100	of 100 and upwards
581	James C. Holmes							1														1					

Slaves

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Into to Some Ga. Pioneers 975.8 M179

HOLLIWAY, Jeremiah, Bulloch Cty. m. Mary Mauldin 1799.
HOLLIWAY, Wm., Bulloch Cty. w. Margt. Jackson? or Nancy Wallace m. 1800 Warren Cty.
HOLMES, Benjamin, Wilkes Cty. d. 1817 ca. w. Amy or Mary Hughes. Also shows Eliz.
HOLMES, Hodgen, Richmond Cty. d. 1804. W. Eliz Bugg d/o Jacob.
HOLMES. James, Jackson Cty. d. 1806. w. Ann Patterson widow of Wm. Patterson.
HOLMES, James, Liberty Cty. m. Mary Kell 1796. He was s/o John.
HOLMES, James Jr. Jackson Cty. m. Nancy Shirley 1817 in Morgan Cty.
HOLMES, John, Jackson Cty. m. & ?
HOLMES, John, Oglethorpe Cty. m. Nancy Smith 1802. He was s/o John.
HOLMES, John Jr. Oglethorpe Cty. w. Hannah Thomas, widow of Phillip Thomas.
HOLMES, Lewis, Jefferson Cty. d. Washington Cty 1826
HOLMES, Liberty, Liberty Cty. m. Susannah Quarterman 1799.
HOLMES, Richard, Jackson Cty. w. Mary. Moved to Jasper Cty.
HOLMES, Robert Sr. Oglethorpe Cty. w. Betsy Butler m. 1788. He RS. She was d/o Joseph.
HOLMES, Robert Jr., Oglethorpe Cty. m. Sallie Pope 1806.
HOLMES, Wm., Oglethorpe Cty. m. Nancy Eaton 1805. He s/o Benjamin.
HOLMS, Chloe, Wilkes Cty. widow of John, nee Bentley.
HOLT, Hines, Esq.* Hancock Cty. d. Ala. 1812 72 y. Wife d. 1819.
HOLT, Peyton* Hancock Cty. d. 1851 Putnam Cty.
HOLT, Raleigh* Hancock Cty.
HOLT, Robert* Esq. Hancock Cty. d. 1806 w. Nancy.
HOLT, Simon Sr.*Hancock Cty. d. 1816.
HOLTON, Simon Jr. Hancock Cty. d. 1849 in Monroe 69 y.
HOLT, Singleton, Hancock Cty. d. 1823 Putnam Cty. w. Hollan Burge?
HOLT, Tapley* Washington Cty. m. Eliz Flewellen 1809 in Baldwin Cty. Also m. Betsy Lane d/o Abner.
HOLT, Thaddeus* Washington Cty. w. Nancy Fleming and Nancy Woodson 1808 d/o Miller Woodson.
* indicates brothers, who may have been s/o Robert, Sr.

HOLTON, Asa, Camden Cty. w. a Nightengale?
HOLTON, Thomas, Burke Cty. d. 1837 in Putnam.
HOLTZCLAW, Nathan, Wilkes Cty. Shows wives Jincey Beasley, d/o Richard and Elmira Bailey m . 1829. Perhaps also Jincey Yarborough. Some of this perhaps wrong as he d. 1819 and was s/o Timothy.
HOLZENDORF, K L John, McIntosh Cty. d. 1823 70 y. in Camden Cty. m. Eliz Eberhart 1774. One w. shown as Sally Holzendorf d/o Wm. and Mary Strabard H. They m. 1797.He was s/o John Frederick and Eliz Erhardt Holzendorf.
HONEYCUTT, Thomas, Hancock Cty. w. Nelly Bond d/o Seth Bond.
HOOD, Allen, Washington Cty. m. Sarah Greemer 1809 in Jasper Cty.
HOOD, Dempsey, Jackson Cty. m. Charity Hill 1794 in Warren Cty.
HOOD, Edward, Washington Cty. d. 1819 Hancock Cty. 71 y. RS, w. Phoebe Tucker. He s/o Wm.
HOOD, John, Jackson Cty. w. Amy Hood and Charlotte Tucker?
HOOD, John, Wilkes Cty. d. 1827. w. Rebecca Reeves.
HOOD, Wiley, Washington Cty. d. 1813 ca. Jasper Cty. He s/o Wm.
HOOD, Wm. Sr., Washington Cty. w. Christina Harris or Haynes.
HOOD, Wm. Jr. Washington Cty. w. Winny
HOOF, James, Elbert Cty. and
HOOF, Peter, Oglethorpe Cty. s/o Samuel Hoof.
HOOKS, Asa, Wilkes Cty. d. 1805. w. Agatha Stamper d/o Powell Stamper.
HOOKS, Hillery* Wilkes Cty.
HOOKS, John* Wilkes Cty.
HOOKS, Thomas* Clarke Cty.
HOOKS, Thomas, Washington Cty. d. 1826.
* s/o indicates s/o Whitmel Hooks. John of Wilkes C ty may have been s/o Asa.
HOOPER, James* Franklin Cty. w. Eliz Jones d/o Dudley Jones.
HOOPER, John,*Franklin Cty. w. Mary
HOOPER, Obediah,(JUNIOR) Franklin Cty. 1st, w. Betsy also m. Sallie Sanders d/o Thomas.(no, Moses Sanders)
HOOPER, Wm.,* Franklin Cty. d. 1816. w. Joicy.
* indicates s/o Obediah and his first wife.
HOPKINS, Aaron, Clarke Cty. His mother was Barsheba.
HOPKINS, Daniel, Jackson Cty. w. Frances Cobb?
HOPKINS, Dennis, Clarke Cty. w. Margt. Patton d/o Saml & Mary Eberhart Patton. Mary Eberhart d/o Geo.

186. HOLLINGSHEAD: John was in Aaron Wood's district in Jackson County in 1799.

187. HOLLINGSWORTH: Valentine was in the 1805 Jackson County lottery. The family was in upper South Carolina by 1790, and in 1800, Valentine was enumerated 40001-21010 in Greenville District. (See J. Adger Stewart, The Descendants of Valentine Hollingsworth, 1925). A Valentine applied for land in 1772 in Burke County, Ga. Thomas Hollingsworth of Gwinnett County said in 1833 that he had known Nathan Dobbs from Henry County, Va., a Revolutionary soldier, for more than 30 years. Thomas is found in the records of Henry County and in 1790 in Union District, S.C. In 1820, a Valentine was enumerated in Emanuel County, Ga., and others of the family were in Baldwin, Camden and Tattnall Counties. Mary Hollingsworth married April 28, 1807 in Franklin County, Ga., William Robins, probably of the North Carolina family in Pendleton District in the 1790s.

188. HOLLIS: Elizabeth was listed in the 1805 Jackson lottery. In 1820 William was enumerated in Jasper County (others were in Morgan, Chatham and Putnam Counties) and in 1827, Elizabeth, widow of a Revolutionary soldier, was living in Trussell's district of Jasper County, neighbor to several persons from Jackson County. On Aug. 6, 1804, Elizabeth Hollis (perhaps the woman in Jackson) and John Akins petitioned the court as administrators of Moses Hollis, to sell land in Wilkes County, Ga. Moses, James, Elijah and William Hollis were enumerated 1790 in Fairfield District, S.C. Several Hollises (but not Moses) were Revolutionary pensioners.

189. HOLLOWAY: Isham was in the 1805 Jackson Lottery. Asa's orphans were in Walton County in 1827. One Robert Stewart, born in Craven County, N.C., c1749, married Nancy Holloway in Georgia. This Stewart family sold out in Cumberland County, N.C., in 1772 and headed for Georgia. According to family data, Robert and Nancy were married c1772/1773 in Columbia County, Ga., but Richmond County, Columbia's parent County, was not formed until 1777. Robert was drafted from Wilkes County and served in the Revolution. At the end of the war he lived for a time on Hart's Creek, in what is now Columbia or McDuffie County, and this may have led to confusion in the minds of descendants as to the place of marriage. If census data indicating their eldest child was born c1774 are correct, the marriage perhaps took place in Wilkes or Richmond County in 1773 or early 1774. Robert reversed the usual trend of migration by moving about 1795 to Pendleton District, S.C., where on July 27, that year he deeded to Adam Torrance his 287 1/2-acre tract on waters of Fishing River in Washington (Greene) County, Ga. A Pickens County (Pendleton) letter of attorney, Jan. 10, 1855, states that Robert died Dec. 8, 1835, and Nancy died Dec. 5, 1843. The Holloways left no data in Georgia that have survived until a considerabley later date than Nancy's marriage. Some of the family may have gone to Pendleton with or soon after Robert Stewart's removal there; William Holloway stated May 1, 1852 in Pickens County that he had been present in Columbia County (sic) at the marriage of Robert and Nancy "two or three years before the Revolution". By 1852 William was old, and the rapid shifting of county lines can be confusing.

190. HOLLY: Martha was listed in Cochran's district on Mulberry Fork in the 1807 lottery. She was perhaps the Martha enumerated in Greenville District, S.C., in 1800, aged 26-44, and may have been the widow of Francis, who was in Greenville in 1790. A Francis previously had lived in Bedford County, Va. In 1820, the family is found in Elbert and other Georgia counties.

191. HOLMES: James (2), John and Richard were in the 1805 Jackson lottery, Richard obtained headright land in 1806; and in 1807, David was living on Mulberry Fork. He left a will in Jackson County. In 1820, Gideon was in Hall County; James in Habersham County; Richard, James P., and John were in Jasper County; and various others of the family were enumerated over the state. One Richard Homes was taxed in Wilkes County, Ga., in 1785.

192. HOOD; Benjamin, Dempsey, John and William were in the 1805 Jackson lottery

and his family, A. E.
Shehee, Laurence Smith,
Fannie Slade, Jas. Banks-
and family and Jas. W.
always been small in num-
he doctrines and discipline
he early members, Mrs. J.
survive, patiently waiting
nk (91 years old) and her
have recently died. Bro.
congregation in prayer, in
was stricken with paraly-
His life has been a bene-

Zebulon charge until the
latter sixties, composed
and Century Nelson
ne of the first pastors of
s served the Circuit in
Smith in 1875, and the
I have not a record of
s placed on "The Rock"
in 1917-18; Robert P.
n 1921, and Grover C.
preacher and pastor

Warren W. Bush, Jas.
W. Elliott. Miss Alma
dent. Miss Alma Bush
issionary Society.
ecord in the Centenary

LSON CHURCH.
anized about 1822. It

was named for one of the charter members, Mr. Thos. Nelson, who was 100 years old at the time the church was established. It is said that he split 100 rails the day he celebrated his 100th birthday. There have been several church buildings here. One was destroyed by a cyclone in 1894, and the present building was erected in 1895.

This church was connected with the Zebulon work until 1866. It was then put on the Milner Circuit. In 1917 it was placed on The Rock Circuit. The present very much beloved pastor is Rev. Grover C. Knowles.

Among the early members of the church, who served their generation by the will of God, were Thos. H. Turner and family; Mrs. Amanda Bussey and children; Thos. L. Campbell and family; Thomson Graham and wife; Jas. Yarbrough and family; Mrs. Thos. Allen and children; Mrs. Matthews and family; Thos. Verden and family; Seaborn Hickson and family, and the Simmons family.

There are sixty members on the church roll. The following are the Board of Stewards: Thos. J. Matthews, T. L. Matthews, Curtis W. Allen and J. T. Speer. There are forty on the Sunday School roll. Mrs. W. A. Bishop is Superintendent.

Rev. T. L. Bussey, a useful local preacher, now living in Atlanta, was a member of this church for many years.

HISTORY OF MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH.

The church record was burned when J. W. Pilkenton's store was burned several years ago, he being clerk. Mt. Olive Church was constituted between 1835 and 1840 by Jonathan Milner.

The following pastors and clerks have served the church:

1849-54 Henry Garland of The Rock, Ga.; Clerk, W. T. Crowell.

1855-56 Jacob King, Upson Co.; Clerk, P. H. McDowell.

1857-58 James F. McCloud, Upson County; Clerk, P. H. McDowell.

1859 Jacob Buffington; Clerk, P. H. McDowell.

1860-61 W. W. Head of Milner; Clerk, P. H. McDowell.

J. M. Slade and J. D. Carreker came home from Camp Stephen Griffin, united with the church and were baptized the third Sunday in September, 1861, by W. W. Head.

1862-66 G. A. Moore; Clerk, P. H. McDowell.

1867 James H. Weaver; Clerk, P. H. McDowell.

1868-71 E. S. Harris; Clerk, P. H. McDowell.

1872-74 J. A. Jackson, Delray, Ga.; Clerk, P. H. McDowell.

1875-86 E. M. Hooten, Milner, Ga.; Clerk, H. G. Jordan.

1887-90 W. A. Brooks, Madison, Ga.; Clerk, H. G. Jordan.

1891-96 J. W. Beck, Jackson, Ga.; Clerk, J. W. Pilkenton.

1897 J. F. Crawford, Talbot County; Clerk, J. W. Pilkenton.

1898-1904 W. P. Head, Woodbury, Ga.; Clerk, J. W. Pilkenton.

1904-1908 L. Hooten, Zebulon, Ga.; Clerk, J. W. Pilkenton.

1909-1915 W. U. Kendrick, Griffin; Clerk, G. W. Hamlett.

1916 F. B. Ricketts, Atlanta; Clerk, G. W. Hamlett.

1917 J. T. Espy, Mercer University; he resigned in August to go to the Seminary at Louisville, Ky.

1918-1920 L. B. Harvey, Forsyth; Clerk, J. T. Pilkenton.

1920-1921 James C. Eppinger, Griffin; Clerk, J. T. Pilkenton.

1921-1922 C. E. Hitt, Forest Park; Clerk, J. T. Pilkenton.

James Holmes, John Jordan and Alfred Tarver were the first deacons and were, perhaps, in the constitution of the church, however we can't be certain about that as the rec-

ords were destroyed. P. H. McDowell was a deacon and clerk of the church for about 35 years. J. W. Pilkenton and H. G. Jordan of Barnesville were deacons for a number of years. J. P. Garner was deacon and also William Hardy of Upson County. W. J. Jones, R. G. Elliott, J. T. Pilkenton, T. C. McLendon, S. E. Clark and Luther Jones are the present deacons.

The land east of the creek belonged to Jas. M. Holmes and he gave four (4) acres for the church lot. Robt. Pilkenton gave three (3) acres making seven (7) in all.

Two of the oldest members now living are J. D. Carreker and Mrs. Susan Reeves who have been members 62 years. Total membership is about 246.

Number of ministers ordained from Mt. Olive Church were three. Zachariah Harris in 1848 who moved off to Dale County, Alabama, and spent his life in the ministry. G. W. Garner was ordained about 1880 and is now one of our leading ministers. J. D. Carreker was ordained about 1893.

There have been three churches erected on present lot: first one about 1835, second 1856 which was blown down by the cyclone March 3, 1893 and was rebuilt during the summer, Burl Banks of Zebulon being the contractor.

The number of churches constituted or partly constituted from the old church were five, namely, Beulah, Hendricks, Molena, Neal and Pleasant Valley.

We have had irregular Sunday Schools from about 1870, ben regular for the last twelve years. Superintendent, R. G. Elliott; average attendance, forty; number of teachers, five. W. M. S. was organized about 1909 during the pastorate of Bro. W. U. Kendrick. Mrs. W. J. Jones was president for several years. Mrs. E. J. Reeves is our present president; Mrs. J. T. Pilkenton, Vice-President; Mrs. J. L. Hamlett, Secretary; Miss Ethel Carreker, Treasurer; Miss Perla Pilkenton, chairman Social Committee. Sunbeam leader, Mrs. M. D. Connally.

Georgia Gen. Marriages before 1800

pg 47 James Holmes Rebecca Pope Dec 11 1806

GRANTEE	LOCATION OF GRANT	GRANT BOOK	PAGE	ACRES GRANTED	YEAR OF GRANT
Holly, Thos.	Wash'ton	EEEE	682	100	1794
Holly, Thos.	Wash'ton	RRR	325	150	1789
Holly, Wm.	Burke	PPP	423	200	1788
Holmes, Chas	Laurens	X.5	192	497	1850
Holmes, Chas. L.	Laurens	X.5	194	393	1850
Holmes, David	St. George	G	50	150	1768
Holmes, Edward	Laurens	V.5	255	500	1845
Holmes, Ichabod	Lincoln	P.5	66	51	1823
Holmes, Jas. M.	Camden	OOOO	494-582	89000	1795
Holmes, John	Glynn	EEEEE	44	150	1802
Holmes, Jno.	Wilkes	DDD	569	150	1784
Holmes, John	Wilkes	EEE	200	150	1784
Holmes, John	Wilkes	EEE	289	200	1784
Holmes, John	Wilkes	EEE	288	162	1784
Holmes, Liberty	Bryan	F.5	227	800	1805
Holmes, Richard	Jackson	F.5	281	120	1806
Holmes, Robt.	Wash'ton	HHH	562	650	1785
Holmes, Wm.	Burke	HHH	416	200	1785
Holmes, Wm. N.	Habersham	A-B	331	117	1866
Holmes, Wm. N.	Habersham	A-B	333	37 ½	1866
Holms, Jno.	St. Andrew	B	283	400	1760
Holms, Jno.	Wash'ton	DDD	263	287 ½	1784
Holms, Richard	Wilkes	OOO	244	200	1787
Holsenback, Matthew D.	Richmond	L.5	631	300	1818
Holsenback, Matthew	Richmond	L.5	633	700	1818
Holsendorf, Alex.	Camden	W.5	522	225	1849
Holsendorf, Jno. L. K.	Camden	L.5	862	5	1818
Holsendorf, W. B.	Camden	W.5	530	200	1849
Holsonbake, Matthew D.	Richmond	S.5	67	300	1837
Holt, Harmon	Oglethorpe	AAAAA	527	96	1798
Holt, Thomas	Wash'ton	H.5	391	200	1811
Holt, Thos.	Wash'ton	O.5	117	280 ½	1820
Holton, Francis	Franklin	HHH	85	287 ½	1785
Holton, Francis	Wash'ton	DDD	331	287 ½	1784
Holton, Francis T.	Emanuel	R.5	360	800	1835
Holton, Francis T.	Emanuel	R.5	361	557	1835
Holton, Francis T.	Emanuel	R.5	362	200	1835
Holton, Isaac	Emanuel	Z-5	83	396	1856
Holton, Isaac	Emanuel	Z-5	82	81 ½	1856
Holton, Marke	Emanuel	R.5	332	300	1835
Holton, Nathl.	Emanuel	R.5	114	380 ½	1835
Holton, Nathaniel	Emanuel	S.5	564	200	1837
Holton, Nathaniel	Emanuel	S.5	675	200	1838
Holton, Samuel	Burke	KKK	505	100	1786
Holton Samuel	Burke	RRR	272	200	1789
Holton, Saml.	Wash'ton	CCCC	226	100	1793
Holtzclam, Jno. G.	Greene	Y.5	1895	12 3/4	1855
Holtzclaw, John G.	Greene	V.5	706	7	1846
Holzendolf, Wm. B.	Camden	Z-5	354	104	1857
Holzendorf, Alex.	Camden	Y.5	1616	500	1855
Holzendorf, John L.K.	Camden	H.5	459	250	1811
Holzendorf, Jr., John M.		AD	253	4 ¼	1912
Holzendorf, Jno. M., Jr.	Camden	A-D	253	4 ¼	1912
Holzendorf, Wm. B.	Camden	Y.5	1727	218	1855

40,000 Mar - Ga.

Elbert Co

James Holmes } 18 Oct 1829
Nancy Adams }

Oglethorpe Co

Ben Holmes 21 Jan 1811
Nancy Jenkins

Burwell Holmes 29 June 1840
Sarah T. O'Gilvie

John Holmes 4 Apr. 1802
Nancy Smith

John Holmes 20 June 1815
Polly Hall

John Holmes 26 Dec. 1840
Eliza T. O'Gilvie

Robert Holmes 10 Feb. 1806
Sally Pope

William Holmes 25 Feb 1805
Nancy Eaton

William Holmes 25 Sept 1845
Eliseiss C. Wright

Willie Holmes 24 May 1844
Sarah D. Richards

Richmond Co.

D. G. Holmes 15 May 1805
Barbara Galphin

Liberty Co.

Rev. Abel Holmes 29 Aug 1790
Mary Stiles

Dr. Lathrop Holmes 20 Jan 1794
Sarah Sumner

Liberty Holmes 6 Jan 1799
Susannah Quarterman

Wilkinson Holmes -

Abigail - 101 wid. Smith Dist. 250-29 - Lee

Laurens Edwin - 21 Bowers 138 23 Muse.

Bibb Frederick - 179 Beards 228 27 Muse.

Fayette Garact - 30 - Dodsons - 139-30 - Lee

Jefferson Isaac - 190 Boyds 213-7 - Carroll

Jackson Isiah - 75 Smiths - 193-28 - Lee

Pike James C. 150 sol. Weavers - 0 25 11 - Muse.

Jgle. John - 197 Smiths 19-6 - Coweta

Morgan Jonathan - 187 W.R.S. Butters 125-19 - Lee

Jasper Keziah - 62 Husb. absent Conns. 82 15 - Muse.

Franklin Maxfield. 107 - Stephens 61-12 - Carroll

Wash. Nathaniel 90 Carry 64-18 - Muse.

Tapsom Reuben - 131 Hattocks 144-24 - Lee

Telfair Soloman 169 Echols 157-16 - Muse.

Laurens Thomas - 150 - orphans Powers - 88-19 - Lee

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Bk. A.

Bibb Co.

Frederick Holmes } 22 May 1835
Eliza Bagby

Isaac Holmes
Louisa J. Matt } 10 Jan 1837

Julius Holmes
Kitty Hatcher } 23 Sept 1832

John Holmes
Caroline E. Bowers } 17 Oct 1833

William Holmes
Caroline S. Powell } 13 Nov. 1834

Cowetta Co.

James M. Holmes } 30 Nov. 1836
Adaline Kilgore

Jesse M. Holmes } 23 Nov 1836
Malissa Hudson

-con- Lowndes Co.
Richmond Holmes } 6 Feb 1838
Sarah B. Morris

Green Co.
George P. Holmes 25 Aug 1831
Mary Jane Swindall
John Holms 17 Oct 1807
Nancy East

Hancock Co
John W. Holmes 15 Dec. 1844
Emily J. Jackson
Robert W. Holmes 17 Oct 1843
Lavinia Rainwater

Laurens Co.
Charles L. Holmes 5 Sept 1839
Mary P. Tuckton
Edwin Holmes 8 May 1821
Matilda Jones

Bibb Co.
W. W. Holmes 14 Mar 1852
Susan E. Ellison

"Paroles of the Army"
Surrendered at Appo" –
April 9, 1865

Pg 275 Cook's Brigade

Capt. O. Holmes
Co. I. 46th N. C Reg't.

John Holmes - Will - Wilkes Co, Ga
Will Book - 1806 - 1808
pg 61

Wilkes Co. - Marriage James Holmes +
Rebecca Pope -
Ordinary's Office -
Marriage Book 1806-34 - pg 26

Sketch -
Oct. ct. - 29 - 1873 Barnsville, Ga.
Patriot - Rev sketches #34 -

"Two Centuries w/ Willis Family -
Edited - Douglas N. Willis -
Privately Pub. - Dallas, Tex. 1963.
Progressive Business Serv. -
2nd sister Sarah Ann Eugenia Willis
Emily Antoinette Willis
married Jordan boys -

"Orig. members + other Officers eligible of the
Society of Cincinnati by Metcalf
- Lineal Desc. of Capt. John Holmes
- of Ga.
Capt Wm Bentley - Va. -
pg. 165 - Capt. John Holmes - 1st Regt - Ga. Cont. Line

pg. 51. Capt. Wm Bentley.
on parole - at close of War fr. Va
3rd Regt - Va. Cont. Line

Coat of Arms - "Percussa - Resurgo"
Struck Down - ~~I will~~ Arise again

Hist of Pike Co. - 1822-1932
Lisja R. Mitchell -

Vol I N.C. Rev. Soldiers, Sailors, Patriots & Desc."

Gabriel Holmes, Sr. (RS Pt + NC)
c1724 - c1790
m Mary Caison

Moses Holmes (RS NC) c. 1750-1837
m. Sarah Goodson

Richard Holmes (RS Pt + NC)
c 1755 - 1818
m. Elz. McGaughey, Rowan Co
N. C. Jan 1, 1781

Robert Holmes (RS Lt + NC PA) 1748-1838
m Margery ——

Holmes

RESEARCH REGISTER

(For recording a brief account of your research activities to assist you to avoid duplicating your searches.)

LOCATION OF RECORD (Give info on where found or filed; library call No.; filing enclosure No.; possessor, etc.)	SEARCHES COMPLETED (Number searches consecutively and give date. List name of book, film or other type of record, author, information sought, etc.)	INFORMATION FOUND (Make a brief statement of results of search. Indicate the Data Work Sheet or Family Group Record you have completed for your records.)
Apr. 1981	Salt Lake City Mormon Library	
#848,575 item 2	Monroe Co., GA.	
	Holmes Bible — Nil	
	Providence Meth. Chu. — Nil	

Additional suggestions on the use of this sheet may be found in The Sixth Edition of THE HOW BOOK FOR GENEALOGISTS available through The Everton Publishers.

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MARRIAGE AND DEATH NOTICES

from the

Southern Christian Advocate.

Volume I: 1837-1860

by Brent H. Holcomb, C. A. L. S.

"Marriages & Death Notices from The Southern Christian Advocate" by Holcomb Vol. I

Holmes

Issue of March 28, 1851

Married in Morgan co., Ga., on the 12th March, by Rev. L. L. Wittich, James S. Reid, of Eatonton, to Miss Virginia, only daughter of Major W. W. Warren.

Married, on the 6th March, by the Rev. J. W. Kelly, William Moorer, to Miss Frances M. Hart, both of St. Matthews, S. C.

Married on the 11th March, Hamilton Sauler, to Miss Eliza Parlor, both of St. Matthews, S. C.

Married on the 18th March, in Tuskegee, by the Rev. T. J. Koger, Joseph Green, to Miss Harriet H. Bailey.

Died at the residence of Dr. John S. Richardson, in Bladen co. N. C., the Rev. Samuel N. Richardson, in the 81st year of his age.... J. M.

Died, on the 6th inst., Mrs. Sarah, daughter of William and Mary Bagley, and consort of Edward Hawkins, Esq., born in Wilkes co., Ga., about 1810. In 1812 her father moved to Hancock and later to Putnam co., Ga. in 1824; married in 1827... J. T. F.

Mrs. Ann T. Johnson, daughter of John and Frances Mixson, born May 12, 1820...died in Selma, Ala., March 5, 1851... Jas. L. Cotten.

Died on the 27th of Feb., in the 74th year of his age, the Rev. William Seale...originally from Marlborough dist., S. C., and has a son in the S. C. Conf... J. E.

Died in Concord, N. C., Jan. 4, 1851, in the 35th year of her age, Mrs. Margaret Elkins, wife of Willis Elkins...left husband and three little children S. D. Laney.

Died at the residence of her son-in-law, John McCarley, on the 12th Nov. last, Kesiah Duncan, daughter of A. and S. Kelly, and consort of Nathaniel Duncan, aged between 70 and 80... F. M.

Died, in Marion co., Ga., Dec. 14, Richard M. Stewart, aged 42 years, leaving a wife and 6 children... S. M. Smith.

Died, Feb. 16, in Merriwether co., Ga., Ann Augusta Jackson, daughter of I. S. and A. T. Jackson...born July, 16, 1844. J. W. Y.

Tribute of Respect by LaFayette Literary Society of LaGrange college, to J. W. McDaniel....

Issue of April 4, 1851

Married on the 13th of March, by the Rev. L. P. Limestone, D. W. Barton of Cokesbury, S. C., to Miss C. L. Gordon, of Walker co., Ga.

Married on the 6th of March, by Rev. J. B. Arthur, P. L. Moorer, of Cokesbury, to Miss Ann, daughter of Lewis White, Esq., of Laurens, S. C.

Married in Columbia, S. C., March 26, by the Rev. Whitefoord Smith, G. W. Sanders, to Miss Mary Catharine Lavinia, eldest daughter of G. W. Keils, all of Charleston, S. C.

Married by Rev. S. H. Browne, in Edgefield C. H., March 20, Capt. S. Harrison, to Miss Frances Richardson.

Married, Mar. 20, by Rev. J. M. Smith, John B. Holbrook to Mrs. Lucinda Russell, all of DeKalb co., Ga.

Died, in Merriwether co., Ga., on the 12th inst., in the 56th year of his age, Abraham Key... W. D. Matthews.

Sarah Holmes, relict of Robert Holmes and daughter of Burwel and Priscilla Pope, died near Pope's Chapel, in Oglethorpe co., Ga., on 23d Dec last, aged a little more than 63 years... Wm. J. Parks.

Died, 9th Feb., William Pace, in the 78th year of his age... Wm. M. Crumley-

Died, 11th Jan., Dr. William Murray, having just completed the 42d year of his life...St. Georges Parish....

SINGLE SOURCE NOTETAKING FORM

Name(s) of Interest _____ Ancestor (2) Collateral Line Holmes

Date of Search 1976 Document Obtained ✓ Search Result See Jordan Recs.

Researcher V. Jordan Jurisdiction and Locality Wilkes Co., GA.

Place of Research Clayton Library - 5300 Caroline - Ho., Tex.
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"Early Records of Georgia" by Davidson

Land Lotteries

Document(s) Dated _____ Recorded _____

1803 Land Lottery - Wayne - Wilkinson - Baldwin } - 490 acres
Creek Nation - 202½ Acres

Free wh. male - 21+ and resident 1yr. - 1 draw
Free male/wife w/ch. - 2 draws
Widows w/ch. - 2 draws
Orphans w/no parents - 2 draws

Josiah B. Holmes - 2 draws
Clowey Holmes, widow - 2 draws

SINGLE SOURCE NOTETAKING FORM

Name(s) of Interest _____ Ancestor (2) Collateral Line Holmes

Date of Search 1967 Document Obtained ✓ Search Result See Jordan Recs.

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Land Lotteries

Document(s) Dated _____ Recorded _____

Wilkes Co.

Lottery of 1819 - Early — 490 Acres — 18 yrs + 3 yrs - Indian War 1 Draw
Irwin
Appling
Walton
Hall
~~Gwinnett~~
~~Habersham~~
250 Acres
~~Rev. War - 2 draws~~
Male w/wife + ch. - 2 draws
widows - 1 draw
orphans - 1 draw
orphans - no parents - 2 draws

James C. Holmes - 2 draws

Wilkes Co 1821 - Dooly, Houston, Monroe, ~~Henry~~, Fayette
93 346

Batchelor 18 + and 3 yrs Res. — 1 draw
Mar. / wife + ch. under 18 - 3 yrs Res. - 2 draws
~~Widow - 3 yrs. Res. — 1 draw~~

James C. Holmes - 2 draws

SINGLE SOURCE NOTETAKING FORM

Name(s) of Interest _____ Ancestor (2) Holmes

Collateral Line _____

Date of Search AUG 95 Document Obtained ✓ Search Result Jordan

Researcher V. Jordan Jurisdiction and Locality Georgia

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"History of Upson Co., GA."

Marriage Records

Document(s) Dated _____ Recorded _____

James Holmes 13 May 1825

Flora Clark - M.R. Meadows, J.P.

SINGLE SOURCE NOTETAKING FORM

Name(s) of Interest Holmes Ancestor (2) Collateral Line

Date of Search 5 Dec 90 Document Obtained Search Result

Researcher Jordan Jurisdiction and Locality

Place of Research CL

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Salt Lake C. - C. Ct.

Document(s) Dated Recorded

Holmes Newsletter - Book - 929.27305 H734h

Charles R. Hensley papers - Film 0982427 #6,7,8

UDC Records/GA Recipients of Southern Cross of Honor Film 0184505

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OCT 15 1981

APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP TO THE NATIONAL SOCIETY

OF THE

DAUGHTERS OF THE AMERICAN REVOLUTION

WASHINGTON, D. C.

State Georgia

City Barnesville

Name of Chapter Lamar-LaFayette

Computer Code Number 3-061-GA

National Number 583232

(Miss or Mrs.) Frances Holmes Graves
(First name) (Middle or Maiden name) (Last name)

Wife ☐ Widow ☒ Divorced ☐ Victor Morse Graves
(Husband)

Residence 200 Murphey Ave., Barnesville, Georgia 30204
Number Street City State Zip Code

DESCENDANT OF

John Holmes

The undersigned have investigated and approved the applicant and her application.

Lorraine Malone Williams (Mrs. Arthur)
Chapter Regent.

Annie Reese M. Collier (Mrs. D. C.)
Chapter Registrar.

October 4, 1973

Application, duplicate, and Fees received by Treasurer General OCT 10 1973

Application and duplicate received by Organizing Secretary General OCT 10 1973

Application and duplicate received by Registrar General OCT 11 1973

Application verified and approved NOV 12 1973

Gilberta Wood Westbrooke
Registrar General.

Accepted by the National Board of Management DEC 7 1973, 19

Enid H. Griswold
Recording Secretary General.

Endorsement for membership at large:

State Regent.

Nominated and recommended by the two undersigned members of the Society in good standing, to whom the applicant is personally known. Endorsers must be of same Chapter; if joining At Large, of the same State.

ENDORSED IN HANDWRITING BY

Name Mary M. Moore
Residence Barnesville, Ga.
Chapter Lamar-LaFayette

Name Faith W. Porch
Residence 457 Forsyth St. Barnesville, Ga.
Chapter Lamar-LaFayette D.A.R.

When filled out and properly endorsed, the application must be forwarded to the Treasurer General, NSDAR, 1776 D St., N.W., Washington, D. C. 20006, with the necessary fee and dues. When approved by the National Board, one copy will be returned to the Registrar of the Chapter or to the individual, *if joining At Large*, and the other will be filed with the National Society. The application, information thereon, and supplementary data become the property of the National Society.

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LINEAGE

I, Frances Holmes Graves being of the age of eighteen years and upwards, hereby apply for membership in the Society by right of lineal descent in the following line from Capt. John Holmes who was ~~born~~ Eng. in Virginia on the day of c, 17~~47~~ 35 and died in Wilkes Co., Georgia on the 8 day of Mar., 1803 His place of residence during the Revolution was Georgia aft 1760

(Please give all dates by numerals, month first, and given names in full)

I am the daughter of

1. Holly Hugh Holmes born on 5-3-1881 at Pike County, Ga. died at Barnesville, Ga. (Lamar Co.) on 12-3-1946 and his (~~first or~~ only) wife Flossie Ingram born on 10-20-1883 at Pike County, Ga. died at Barnesville, Ga. (Lamar Co.) on 1-4-1946 married on 8-29-1906

2. The said Holly Hugh Holmes was the child of Wade Hampton Holmes born on 8-8-1845 at Pike County, Ga. died at Barnesville, Ga. (Pike Co.) on 1-14-1912 and his (first or) wife Frances ("Fanny") Evans born on 6-1-1851 at Ga. (Probably Crawford Co., Ga.) died at Pike County, Ga. on 3-15-1892 married on 1868 Marriage record lost but her father lived in Crawford Co., Ga. 1868 census (1862) for 1880 and affadavit.

3. The said Wade Hampton Holmes was the child of John D. Holmes born on 10-20-1817 at Twiggs County, Ga. died at Barnesville, Ga. (Pike Co.) on 6-9-1907 and his (~~first or~~ only) wife Matilda Harden born on 1-13-1824 at Putnam Co., Ga. died at Barnesville, Ga. (Pike Co.) on 9-16-1921 married on 11-30-1837

4. The said John D. Holmes was the child of Josiah Holmes born on 1788 at North Carolina died at Barnesville, Ga. (Pike Co.) on 6-8-1865 and his (~~first or~~ only) wife Amelia Williams born on 1796 at North Carolina died at Barnesville, Ga. (Pike Co.) on 3-22-1872 married on 3-26-1815

5. The said Josiah Holmes was the child of John Holmes born on c 17~~47~~ 35 at ~~Caroline Co., Virginia~~ England died at Wilkes County, Ga. on 1803 by 3-8- and his (~~first or~~ only) wife Chloe Bentley born on 1749 at Virginia died at Wilkes County, Ga. on after 1803 married on 1767

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10. The said _____ was the child of _____ born on _____ at _____, died at _____ on _____ and his (first or) wife _____ born on _____ at _____ died at _____ on _____ married on _____

REFERENCES FOR LINEAGE

Give National Numbers of mother _____; grandmother _____; or any other close relatives credited with this ancestor 431-867

Give below Authorities, published or unpublished, covering all names, dates, places and connections between generations in this line from the grandparents through the generation of this Revolutionary ancestor. Send one certified, attested or photostatic copy of each piece of unpublished data. Cite published authorities by title, author, edition, volume and page.

data ✓

2nd Generation: Marriage Certificate of parents. Affadavit of B. J. Woodall Gravestones-Greenwood Cem. Barnesville, Ga.

3rd Generation: Affadavit of Mr. H. B. Woodall gravestones, Greenwood Cemetery, Barnesville, Ga.

4th Generation: Affadavit from Clerk of the Courts Office, Pike County, Ga. See front and back- Marriage license of Amelia Williams and Josiah Holmes (Xerox). Gravestones, Same as above.

5th Page from Mrs. McCall's "Roster of Revolutionary Soldiers"

2nd, 3rd, & 4th Generation

Lambdin, Augusta. History of Lamar Co. Georgia, 1932. Pp. 301-302

Give, if possible, the following data: My Revolutionary ancestor was married

(1) to Chloe Bentley at Virginia, 1767

(2) to _____ at _____, 1_____

(3) to _____ at _____, 1_____

CHILDREN OF REVOLUTIONARY ANCESTOR

(By each marriage, if married more than once)

Names	*Dates of Birth*	*To Whom Married, noting if Married more than once*
Apsylla	1770 N.C.	Pitt Milner
Penelope	1773 "	Benj. Milner
Mary		(1)-Parks (2) Elisha Kendall
Josiah	1788-N.C.	Amelia Williams
John, Jr.	~~4-24-1885~~	Hannah Thomas
James	4-24-1885	(1) Rebecca Pope (2) Mary Hale Hartafield
Elizabeth		
Moses		

I was born on 4-12-1908 at Barnesville, Ga. (Pike Co.) married on 12-25-1931 at Macon, Ga. by Dr. C. B. Graves to Victor Morse Graves who was born on 9-30-1902

Divorced on _____ at _____

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ELIGIBILITY CLAUSE

"Any woman is eligible for membership in the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution who is not less than eighteen years of age, and who is descended from a man or woman who, with unfailing loyalty to the cause of American Independence, served as a sailor, or as a soldier or civil officer in one of the several Colonies or States, or in the United Colonies or States, or as a recognized patriot, or rendered material aid thereto; provided the applicant is personally acceptable to the Society." (Constitution, Article III, Section 1.)

*Marriage in every instance in this paper means legal and lawful marriage.
Date of marriage may be substituted for dates of birth and death where such date proves the soldier to have been living during the Revolution and of a suitable age for service.
(Note: Resolution adopted by the twenty-fourth Continental Congress:
Descendants of polygamous marriage are not acceptable as members of this Society.)

ANCESTOR'S SERVICES

My ancestor's services in assisting in the establishment of American Independence during the War of the Revolution were as follows:

John Holmes, Gentleman, was J. P. of St. George Parish 1774.
Enlisted Feb. 6, 1776, Chaplain, Gen. McIntosh Brigade.
One of the Founders of Georgia Society of the Cincinnati.
Warrent # 2458 issued to Capt. John Holmes, June 5, 1784 - Ga. State Archives
Revolutionary Soldiers receipts for Bounty Grants, Page 59. John Holmes # 701 E Clark Calo, Stephen Heard - atty.

The said John Holmes
is the ancestor who assisted in establishing American Independence, while acting in the capacity of Captain - Chaplain, Gen. McIntosh Brigade

Give references by volume and page to the documentary or other authorities for—MILITARY RECORD: *Where reference is made to unpublished or inaccessible records of service, the applicant must file the official copy.*

Vol ..... p 298 Heitman - Historical Register of officers - The Continental Army
Vol ..... p 94 White's Historical Collections of Ga.

The following form of acknowledgment is required:

Applicant further says that the said .....
(name of ancestor from whom eligibility is derived) is the ancestor mentioned in the foregoing application, and that the statements hereinbefore set forth are true to the best of her knowledge and belief.

The applicant also pledges allegiance to the United States of America and agrees to support its Constitution. This applies to applicants for membership within the United States of America and its territories.

(Signature of Applicant) Frances Holmes Graves
(First name) (Middle or Maiden name) (Last name)

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Barnesville, Georgia
(City) (State)

this 3rd day of October A. D 1973

[SEAL]

Mary Jane Blalock
Signature of Notary.

I do (do not) give consent to the office of the Registrar General to furnish by correspondence information contained in this application to persons seeking membership on same line.

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visit) Nov., 1826. Served as private Ga. troops under Gen. Elijah Clarke; fought at the Battle of Kettle Creek; received bounty land for his service, Wilkes Co., Ga. Mar. JANE COOPER.

Children:

1. William, b. S. C., moved to Miss.
2. Robert Alexander, b. S. C., 1787, moved to Ga., where he d. Nov. 1862. Mar. Rebecca Burroughs. 12 children.
3. Mathew, mar. Miss Dean, moved to Cass Co., Ga, then to Miss.
4. Martha Ann (called Nancy), mar. John Russell—, moved to Cass Co., Ga.
5. Margaret.

WILLIAM HOLLOWAY, SR., lived in Swains District, Thomas (now Brooks Co.) Co., Ga. Was a *Rev. Sol.* Mar. ELIZABETH EDMUNDSON (dau. of ISAAC EDMUNDSON (OR EDMONDSON), *Rev. Sol.* and his wife, Nancy. They lived in Bulloch Co., Ga.; d. in Brooks Co., Ga.)

Children (mentioned in will of William Holloway, made May 4, 1839, pro. Jan. 18, 1859).

1. William, Jr.
2. James.
3. Griffin.
4. Nancy, mar. Ansel Parish.
5. Roxy Ann, mar. James Alderman
6. Harriet, mar. —Yates.
7. Lavinia, mar. Canneth Yates.
8. Katherine, mar. J. I. Albritton.
9. Susanna, mar. William Smith.
10. Orphelia, mar. Lasa Adams.

DAVID HOLLIMAN (OR HOLLAMOND), b. 1757, came from N. C. to Wilkes Co., Ga. Will made Oct. 30, 1779, pro. July 1, 1783. Served in N. C. Line; received grant of land, Wilkes Co., Ga. for his service.

Will mentions:

Sons:

1. David, Jr.
2. Mark.
3. Samuel.

Dau.:

Aley (or Alcy).

Wife not named. (Absolem and Charity Holliman, Exs.)

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6. John, Jr.
7. James.
8. Moses.

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One of their children:

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visit) Nov., 1826. Served as private Ga. troops under Gen. Elijah Clarke; fought at the Battle of Kettle Creek; received bounty land for his service, Wilkes Co., Ga. Mar. JANE COOPER.

Children:

1. William, b. S. C., moved to Miss.
2. Robert Alexander, b. S. C., 1787, moved to Ga., where he d. Nov. 1862. Mar. Rebecca Burroughs. 12 children.
3. Mathew, mar. Miss Dean, moved to Cass Co., Ga, then to Miss.
4. Martha Ann (called Nancy), mar. John Russell—, moved to Cass Co., Ga.
5. Margaret.

WILLIAM HOLLOWAY, SR., lived in Swains District, Thomas (now Brooks Co.) Co., Ga. Was a *Rev. Sol.* Mar. ELIZABETH EDMUNDSON (dau. of ISAAC EDMUNDSON (OR EDMONDSON), *Rev. Sol.* and his wife, Nancy. They lived in Bulloch Co., Ga.; d. in Brooks Co., Ga.)

Children (mentioned in will of William Holloway, made May 4, 1839, pro. Jan. 18, 1859).

1. William, Jr.
2. James.
3. Griffin.
4. Nancy, mar. Ansel Parish.
5. Roxy Ann, mar. James Alderman
6. Harriet, mar. —Yates.
7. Lavinia, mar. Canneth Yates.
8. Katherine, mar. J. I. Albritton.
9. Susanna, mar. William Smith.
10. Orphelia, mar. Lasa Adams.

DAVID HOLLIMAN (OR HOLLAMOND), b. 1757, came from N. C. to Wilkes Co., Ga. Will made Oct. 30, 1779, pro. July 1, 1783. Served in N. C. Line; received grant of land, Wilkes Co., Ga. for his service.

Will mentions:

Sons:

1. David, Jr.
2. Mark.
3. Samuel.

Dau.:

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Chart #3

John Holmes

James L. Holmes
b. 24 Apr 1785
Wilkes, Ga
d. 20 Apr 1861
Pike Co, Ga

Mary J. Holmes

Chloe Bentley
1747
1813

Wm
b. Fairfax VA.
d. DeKalb, Ga.

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John Holmes (RS - Chap - Ga.)
1735 W/S Sept 4, 1802
P/Mar 8 1803, Wilkes Co., Ga.
m. Chloe Bentley
Ch. -
Apullah - m. Pitt Milner (RS)
Penelope (m. Benj. Milner, Wilkes Co
23 Dec 1793
Mary - m 1) — Parks
m 2) Elisha Kendall

Josiah
John
James (eldest)
Moses
Isaac
Eliz -
Exec. wife Chloe, Geo. Willis, Sr.,
Jane Bentley, + 3 oldest sons,
Josiah, John + James

James C. Holmes Apr 24-1785 Wilkes Co-
d 20 Apr 1861 - Pike
m. 12 Nov 1806 Wilkes Co-
2nd wife Mary Hale - widow of
Joseph Hale
m. Jan 4-1849 - Pike Co. Ga

Father John Holmes from N.C.-
Mother Chloe Bentley
1st Rebecca Pope - d 1 June 1844 Pike
b 20 Jan 1788 Wilkes Co-

Mary Jane Holmes 20 Dec. 1807 Ga
m. John T. Jordan 7 ~~Dec~~ Sept. 1828
d - 16 Mar 1884 - bur ~~Mo~~

Malinda N. - 18 Apr 1810 Ga
m. Wiley E. Maugham 20 Dec 1827
d. 30 May 1880 -

Harriet N. 1814 Ga
m. Thomas J. Hartsfield 28 Nov. 1833.
field

II Two Centuries with Willis -
order of Cincinnati -
John Holmes 1st Reg. Ga. Continental Lin
William Bentley - fr 3rd Reg Va. Cont Lin

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BIBLE RECORD;

BENJAMIN J. MILNER;

Bible owned by Robert L. Milner, R.F.D. Barnesville, Georgia, and copied by Mrs Robert E. Mitchell, of Zebulon, Ga.

MARRIAGES:-

Benjamin J. Milner & Lucy C. Whatley, at Robert Whatleys, Feb.3, 1881. In the presence of Charley Oliver and S.C.Milner, Jr.
signed. C.W.Oliver, Pastor, Midway Church.

E.C.Milner and Frois Elizabeth Willis, Nov.6, 1904
By Rev. Wright.

S.V.Milner and Gertrude Perdue, Nov.e, 1907 by Rev. John Buffington, at Mit Cauthens on Sunday.

Maude V. Milner and Chester Cauthen, Jan.8, 1910 by Rev. John Buffington.

Robert Leroy Milner and Loys Arcola ___ Nov.5, 1911, by Rev. Hooten at Midway Church.

All of the above married on the first sunday in November.

BIRTHS:-

Benjamin J. Milner b Nov.9, 1859
Lucy C. Milner b Dec. 17, 1857.
Ernest Chhen Milner b Aug. 1, 1889.
S. Van Milner b June 1, 1884.
Robert L Milner b Dec.20, 1886.
Maude V. Milner b Feb.15 _____

DEATHS:-

Elizabeth Milner d Sept 9, 1888.(Mother of B.J.Milner)
Simeon C. Milner d Jan 26, 1898(Father of B.J.Milner)
Lucy K. Milner d.Sept 8,1905.
Benjamin J. Milner d April 26, 1916.

BIBLE RECORD:-

JONATHAN JAMES MILNER

Bible in possession of Mrs James Emory Milner of Concord, Ga. and copied by her for the Pulaski Chapter, D.A.R.

MARRIAGES:-

Jonathan J. Milner and Nancy C. Bouland was married 2nd of January A.D. in the Year of Our Lord 1849.

Mary H.O.Milner was married to John Irwin 23rd of February, 1882.

BIRTHS:-

Jonathan James Milner was born Jan. 10 A.D. in the Year of Our Lord 1831.

Nancy Catherine Bouland was born 14th of March A.D. in the year of Our Lord 1834.

Richard Bouland Milner was born 17th of Decemebr A.D. in the year of Our Lord 1849.

William Judson Milner was born 21st of July A.D. in the year of Our Lord 1855.

George Boardman Milner was born 21 of January A.D. in the year of Our Lord 1857.

Robbert Augustus Milner was born the 18th of December in the year of Our Lord 1858.

Mary Hannah Ophelia Milner was born Nov.30th A.D. in the year of Our Lord 1860.

Sarah Elizabeth Milner was born October 21st A.D. in the Year of Our Lord 1862.

Effie Eunis Milner was born September 24th A.D. 1 in the Year of Our Lord 1864.

Pitt Holmes Milner was born December 11th in the year of Our Lord 1866.

John Willis Milner was born April 14th A.D. in the year of Our Lord 1863.

Pope Redding Milner was born April 11th A.D. in the year of Our Lord 1870.

Jesse Wood Milner was born April 18th A.D. in the year of Our Lord 1871

Bible Record:- Jonathan James Milner, Page 2.

Births:

Edward Lee Milner was born 26th of October A.D.
in the year of Our Lord 1873.

James Emmitt Milner was born the 25th of September A.D.
in the year of Our Lord 1875.

Wiley King Milner was born 7th of March A.D.
in the year of Our Lord 1880.

DEATHS:*

Rev. John Holmes Milner, father of Jonathan James Milner, died March 9th A.D. in the year of Our Lord 1857, age 65 yrs, 5 months,16 days.

George Boardman Milner departed this life May 31st, A.D. in the year of Our Lord 1858. Age 1 yr. 6mo. 10 days.

Pitt Holmes Milner died Dec. 17th A.D. in the year of Our Lord 1866- age 7 days.

Pope Redding Milner was born dead April 11th A.D.
in the year of Our Lord 1870.

Jonathan James Milner died June 11, 1911.(1911)
Nancy Catherine Milner died Dec. 16th 1918.

Remarks:-
In memory of W'm Boulding(Bouland) who was born in Lauverne(Laurens) District S.C. May 20th 1786 and died at his residence in Pike Co. Ga. Feb.27th 1852. age 63 yeras-9 months and 7 days.

Cemetery Record:-

PARKER EASON, sometimes called the BROWN or PARKER BROWN, cemetery- about 2½ miles N.E. of Sunnyside Georgia:-

Copied by Mrs Robert E. Mitchell, Zebulon, Ga.

Parker Eason b Feb.22, 1798 -- dJan 22, 1875.
Age 76 years.

Eliza P. wife of Col. L.T. Doyle and daughter of Mr. & Mrs Parker Eason b Sept 21, 1819- d Mar. 23, 1859.

William Gaines Brown b Nov. 28, 1817 - married to Eliza P. Eason, daughter of Parker Eason of Henry Co. Ga. Jan. 26, 1836- died April 5, 1849.

Sacred to the Memory of:
Apsylla Milner, who was born Sept 12, 1770 and died April 26, 1854.
" In the triumphs of faith & hope of a blessed Immortality".

Mary Elizabeth consort of W.T. Griffin, who was born Aug.7, 1833 and died on Friday Morning April 14, 1854

Infant of W.T. & M.E. Griffin d April 4. 1854
Infant of W.T. & M.E. Griffin d 1852.

Elizabeth Eason b Feb. 20, 1763---- d Feb. 22, 1844
" In the triumph and hope of a blessed Immortality"

Minnie L Dorsey b Mar. 24, 1866- d Aug 4, 1891.

There are several unmarked graves in this cemetery and all stones are in bad shape.

(Apsylla Milner was Apsylla Holmes and wife of Pitt Milner)

(Eliza Eason was the widow of Isaac Eason a Rev. Sol.)

Cemetery Records:-

MILNER, REV.JOHN HOLMES MILNER:-

Located on the Milner place near Zebulon,Ga. on land of Miss Mamie Mitchell, a descendant, of Barnesville, Georgia.

Rev. John Holmes Milner, born in Wilkes Co. Ga. July,24,1792 and died in Pike County,Georgia March,9 1857.

Elizabeth Dabney Willis wife of Rev. John Holmes Milner, Born in Wilkes County,Georgia August 13,1796- Died in Pike County,Georgia Jun2 10,1885.

George Willis Milner born June 10,1815-Jones Co. Ga.
died April 1,1900-Pike Co. Ga.
Mary Bouland Milner wife of George W. Milner
born in Edgefield, Co.S.C. Dec.28,1823
died in Pike Co. Ga. Jan. 15,1898.

John Pyron Milner son of George and Mary Milner
born April,22,1857- died Aug.10,1862.

Jonathan James Milner born- Jan.10,1831-died June 3,1910.
Nancy C. Milner wife of Jonathan J. Milner
born March 14,1834- died Dec. 12,1918.

Infant of B.F. & M.J.Reid.

The following graves have no markers, but concrete slabs, with name inscribed:-
W.Judson Milner--1854-1934.
Richard B. Milner- 1849-1943
Robert A.Milner- 1858-1933

Lillian Milner- 1862-1953.
(None of the above 4 people were married(F.G.M.)

2 graves, children of Solomon Beckham, unmarked.
Grave of [illegible] the wife of John Willis Milner and infant child- both unmarked.

Cemetery Record:

PITT MILNER.
In Memory of Pitt Milner Sr, who departed this life July 21, 1839- aged 70 years & 29 days.
" Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord".

This grave is found near Johnstonville, Lamar Co. Ga. and is on the Dr. Wyatt Childs place.

The old home nearby was originally the home of Pitt Milner.

I have been told that at one time there was a large cemetery located here, but as long as could be remembered that only the one grave was marked.

Copied by: Mrs Robert E. Mitchell- 1956

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MARRIAGES

Pitt Milner to Apsilla Holmes 3-4-1790
Mary Milner to Joshua S. Callaway 1-12-1811
John H. Milner to Elizabeth D. Willis 4-14-1814
Elizabeth Milner to William Sim 3-2-1815
Susan Milner to Elijah Melson 8-5-1817
Penelope Milner to Parker Eason 11-18-1818
Thomas B. Gorman to Rebecca O. Milner 1-10-1822
Pitt W. Milner to Moss Adeline M. Putnam 9-20-1827
Susannah W. Milner to Jonathan Jonston 9-20-1827

BIRTHS

Martha Milner 4-6-1791
John Homes Milner 7-24-1792
Mary Milner 2-25-1795
Elizabeth Milner 8-26-1797
Penelope Milner 6-11-1800
Susannah Willis Milner 7-1-1803
Rebecca Ozburn Milner 1-31-1806
Pitt Wells Milner 9-29-1808
Nancy Simons Milner 7-20-1815
Elizabeth D. Willis 8-13-1796
Eliza P. Eason 9-24-1819
Jonathan Johnston 4-24-1804
A.M. Putnam 7-18-1809
Pitt Milner 6-22-1769
Apsilla Holmes 9-12-1770

DEATHS

Martha Milner 8-26-1791
Nancy S. Milner 10-17-1822
Rebecca O. Gorman 7-9-1826
Mary Callaway 9-12-1826
Pitt Milner, Sen. 7-21-1839
Pitt Wells Milner 1-4-1844
Apsilla Milner 4-26-1854

BIRTHS

Joshua S. Callaway 5-30-1789
Mary Callaway, wife of J. S. C. 2-25-1795
Pitt Milner Callaway, son of J.S. & M. Callaway 10-10-1812
Malissa Aleph Callaway 3-20-1841
Narcissa Midora Callaway 7-9-1843
Ella Beneta Pitt Callaway 12-8-1846
Dorinda Milner Callaway 10-21-1850

Ellen Wyllie Callaway 6-6-1816

Joshua Thomas Callaway son of Pitt & E.W. Callaway 11-29-1834

Julia Annette Callaway 1-19-1837

Mary Love Callaway 4-7-1839

Willie Appy Callaway 4-17-1853

Pitt Milner Callaway, Jr. 4-16-1858

Lillie Ish Callaway 2-12-1861

Ila Callaway Worthington 10-18-1861

MARRIAGES

Pitt Milner Callaway and Ellen Wylie Jordan, Tuesday eve., 12-10-1833

Barna F. Ivey and Julia A. Callaway 9-11-1857

Melissa Aleph Callaway and Dr. Aaron Worthington 12-22-1859

Mary L. Callaway and Dr. Moses Worthington 12-15-1861

Medora Callaway and Edmond W. Jordan 11-14-1864

Ella Beneta Pitt Callaway and M.N. Carlisle 10-21-1869

Dorinda Milner Callaway and R.L. Jones 11-14-1868

Willie A. Callaway and Alfred N. Jone(s)? 12-7-1873

BIRTHS

Births of children of N.M. Jordan and E.W. Jordan

Lilla Jordan 1-23-1868

Annie Jordan 11-24-1870

Willie Roshell Jordan 12-17-1872

Charles Pitt Jordan 4-17-1875

Edmond Jordan, Jr. 2-16-1877

NOTE:

The bible is very large and has Pitt Milner's initial on the front (in brass tacks). Clippings from early newspapers state that during the Civil War, two of these tacks were taken out and given as metal to make ammunition for the southern army. Contributed by Mrs. G.E. McGee, Lookout Mountain, Tenn.

PITT MILNER (1769-1839)

Pitt Milner born 22 Jun 1769 (birth place unknown), died 21 Jul 1839 in Monroe County, Georgia. He was the son of Capt. John Milner (1746-1812) of Wilkes County, Georgia. He married on 4 Mar 1790 in Wilkes County to Apsilla Holmes who was born 12 Sep 1770 in N.C. and died 22 May 1854 in Henry County, Georgia at the home of Parker Eason. She was the daughter of John Holmes and Chloe Bentley.

Pitt appears on the tax digest of Wilkes County in 1794 with two slaves, and his land adjoined a S. Echols. A Pitman Milner of Wilkes County received a land grant in 1799 and could very well be this Pitt Milner. In 1810 Morgan County, Pitt Milner of Wilkes County and Simeon Milner of Morgan County transfer a piece of land. In 1823 he is found on the Monroe County deed index and in Will Book A, p. 128-9 when his will was probated. In this probate record he names his wife Apsila Milner; sons, John H. Milner, Pitt Milner; and daus., Elizabeth Sim, Penelope Eason, and Susan Johnson. Numerous grandchildren are also mentioned.

Pitt seems to have been a success in life in the eyes of his fellowmen. He followed the religious teachings of his parents and made his life one of service to his church according to the following obituary carried in the "Georgia Messenger" of Macon, Georgia and also appeared in the "Macon Georgia Telegraph": "Died at his residence in Monroe County, on the 21st of June, last, Pitt Milner, in the 71st year of his age. Obituary notices setting forth in high colors the virtues of men while living, wanting in honor and integrity, have become so common that they are looked upon as matters of place saying. The writer of the present notice, would have remained silent did not a large portion of the Baptist Churches in Georgia bear ample testimony, to the private worth and christain virtues of the deceased, who has so recently been removed from among us. In early life the deceased united himself with the Baptist Church as a humble follower of Jesus. About twelve months thereafter, he had so won the confidence of his brethren from an upright and godly walk, that he was ordained Deacon of the church, and actively discharged the duties of his office for nearly forty-seven years, to the entire satisfaction of his brethren, and was for many years honored with the confidence of the church with which he was connected, to a seat in the associations. During his connection with the church, the deceased was an active, zealous, upright and useful member, and possessed in an eminent degree the religious confidence of all who knew him. In his civil as well as religious associations, he was frank, candid, and open, was esteemed for his punctuality towards all with whom his lot was cast, and with whom he had transactions. It may be said with great propriety and truth, that he was emphatically the noblest work of God, an honest upright man, and as he lived, so he died, in the full confidence of a blessed immortality beyond the grave. In his death, few men have left a brighter or surer testimony behind; but he has gone home to the embraces of Jesus, to

reach his rich reward. He has left behind him an amiable and loving wife, obedient children, and a numerous train to mourn his departure, but they do not mourn as others do without a hope."

E.B.

NOTE:

Obituary copied from the "Georgia Messenger", Macon, Georgia, Thursday, Aug 1, 1839.

The headstone of Pitt Milner gives the date of his death as July (not June) 21, 1839, aged 70 years and 29 days.

Information in the family bible states that Pitt served as a soldier in the Rev. War at 14 years of age. A tory stealing a fine horse, "Bald Eagle", which had been sent from England of William Pitt, Earl of Chatam and a near kinsman, to Capt. John Milner, soldier in the war of the Revolution and father of Pitt Milner, placed his gun again the tree to mount. Pitt, a lad, seized the gun and forced the tory to dismount and give up the horse. Contributed by Mrs. G.E. McGee, Lookout Mountain, Tenn.

APSILLA HOLMES MILNER (1770-1854) Believed to have been taken about 1852-54. Courtesy of Anne Scott Mauldin, Atlanta, Georgia.

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OGLETHORPE COUNTY, GEORGIA

Oglethorpe County formed 1793 from Clarke, Greene, and Wilkes County. Countyseat is Lexington, Zip 30648.

DEED, GRANTEE INDEX 1794-1844 OF OGLETHORPE COUNTY

John Milner	- P. Talbot	1795	WD A	p. 222
Betsy Milner	- A. Simmons	1799	WD C	p. 367
John Milner	- M. Phinegy	1803	WD D	p. 162
Pitt Milner	- E. Duke	1830	WD D	p. 378
Pitt Milner	- T. Duke	1803	WD D	p. 378
Pitt Milner	- A. Eason	1806	WD E	p. 137
Jonathon Milner	- J. Milner, Sr.	1810	WD F	p. 150
John Milner, decd	- J. Ballard	1812	WD G	p. 314
John Milner	- P. Calloway	1812	WD G	p. 314
John Milner	- Simeon Milner	1812	WD G	p. 314
John Milner	- T. Powell	1812	WD G	p. 314
John Milner	- Benj. Milner	1812	WD G	p. 314
John Milner	- J. Ballard	1812	WD G	p. 314
John Milner	- Jonathan Milner	1812	WD G	p. 314
John Milner	- John Milner	1812	WD G	p. 314
John Milner	- Pete Milner	1812	WD G	p. 314
John Milner	- John Milner	1812	WD G	p. 317
Pete Milner	- John Milner	1812	WD G	p. 317
Simeon Milner	- John Milner	1812	WD G	p. 317
Benj. Milner	- John Milner	1812	WD G	p. 317
Jonathon M. Milner	- John Milner	1812	WD G	p. 317
Jonathon Milner	- M. Phelps	1820	WD J	p. 246
Jonathon Milner	- J. Barkwell	1820	WD J	p. 246
Jonathon Milner	- J. Willis	1820	WD J	p. 246
Jonathon Milner	- S. Barkwell	1820	WD J	p. 246
Jonathon Milner	- Major Barkwell	1820	WD J	p. 246
Jonathon Milner	- A. Martin	1831	WD N	p. 237
John D. Milner	- J. Milner	1837	WD P	p. 22
Jonathon Milner	- W. Howard	1837	WD P	p. 22
John D. Milner	- T. Nicholas	1839	WD P	p. 320
John D. Milner	- H. Bullock	1840	WD P	p. 423
John D. Milner	- T. Hawkins	1844	WD Q	p. 319
John Milner, etal	- G. Calloway	1844	WD Q	p. 371
John Milner, etal	- E. Calloway	1844	WD Q	p. 371
John Milner, etal	- W. Howard	1844	WD Q	p. 371
John Milner, etal	- S. Glenn	1844	WD Q	p. 371
John Milner, etal	- A. Hawkins	1844	WD Q	p. 371
John Milner, etal	- T. Hawkins	1844	WD Q	p. 371
John Milner, etal	- J.G. Milner	1844	WD Q	p. 371

MORGAN COUNTY, GEORGIA

Morgan County was formed in 1807 from Baldwin and Jasper County. Countyseat is Madison, Zip 30650.

DEED INDEX MORGAN COUNTY

1810 deed between Pitt Milner of Wilkes County and Simeon Milner and Morgan County. Witness: John Milner. Land lying in Lot 333 in Baldwin County when surveyed, now in Morgan County.

MURRAY COUNTY, GEORGIA

Murray County was formed 1832 from Cherokee County. Countyseat is Chatwoth, Zip 30705.

1850 FEDERAL CENSUS OF MURRAY COUNTY

194	N.A. Milner	age 45 male	carpenter	born in Georgia
	Susan	35 female		born in NCarolina
	Mary Ann	12 female		born in Georgia
	Monroe	10 male		"
	Martha	6 female		"
2007	Jesse Millirons	age 47 farmer		born in Georgia
	Elizabeth	40 female		born in SCarolina
	Mary	18 female		born in Georgia
	Montford L.	17 male		"

NEWTON COUNTY, GEORGIA

Newton County was formed 1821 from Henry, Jasper, Morgan, and Walton County. Countyseat is Covington, Zip 30201.

DEED INDEX, GRANTOR 1821-1846 OF NEWTON COUNTY

Willis I. Milner of Jones County sold land to Mr. Robinson on 1822, Bk A, of deeds, p. 289.

John Milner of Newton County sold land to Mr. Marshall on 1822, Bk A of deeds, p. 610. Hopson Milner was the witness to the deed. Land involved 50 acres in 18th District of county.

John Milner, etal	- S. Robertson	1844	WD Q	p. 371
John Milner, etal	- E. Daniel	1844	WD Q	p. 371
John Milner, etal	- E. Robertson	1844	WD Q	p. 371

DEED, GRANTOR INDEX 1794-1844 OF OGLETHORPE COUNTY

Apsilla Milner	- J. Jordan	1805	Bk E	p. 341
Pitt Milner	- J. Jordan	1805	Bk E	p. 341
John Milner, Sr.	- Jon. Milner	1810	Bk F	p. 150
Benj. Milner	- John Milner	1812	Bk G	p. 314
John Milner	- John Milner	1812	Bk G	p. 314
Pete Milner	- John Milner	1812	Bk G	p. 314
Simeon Milner	- John Milner	1812	Bk G	p. 314
John Milner, admin.	- J. Ballard	1812	Bk G	p. 317
John Milner, admin.	- M. Calloway	1812	Bk G	p. 317
John Milner, admin.	- B. Milner	1812	Bk G	p. 317
John Milner, admin.	- J. Milner heirs	1812	Bk G	p. 317
John Milner, admin.	- Pete Milner	1812	Bk G	p. 317
John Milner, admin.	- Simeon Milner	1812	Bk G	p. 317
John Milner, admin.	- T. Powell	1812	Bk G	p. 317
Benj. Milner	- P. Bradshaw	1814	Bk I	p. 252
Benj. Milner	- J. Powell	1815	Bk H	p. 362
Pitt Milner	- W. Sims	1817	Bk I	p. 525
Jon. Milner	- J. Milner	1837	Bk P	p. 22
Jn. D. Milner, etal	- T. Hawkins	1844	Bk Q	p. 320
Jn. D. Milner, etal	- E. Robertson	1833	Bk Q	p. 371
Jn. D. Milner, etal	- G. Calloway	1844	Bk Q	p. 424
Jn. D. Milner, etal	- G. Calloway	1844	Bk Q	p. 425
Jonathon Milner, atty	- G. Calloway	1844	Bk Q	p. 424
Jonathon Milner, atty	- Jn. D. Milner	1844	Bk Q	p. 371
Jonathon Milner, atty	- E. Robertson	1844	Bk Q	p. 371

MARRIAGE RECORDS OGLETHORPE COUNTY Years 1793 to 1850

John Calloway married to Mary Milner on 4 Jun 1796

Thos. Powell married to Sally Milner on 12 Oct 1804

Jonathon Milner married to Rebecca Dunn on 11 Dec 1805

Samuel Huckaly married to Peggy Milner on 17 Mar 1808

Henry H. Lumpkin married to Lucy L. Milner on 17 Aug 1813

Augustus Quill married to Martha Milner on 30 Nov 1824

Samuel Glenn married to Sophia Miliner on 21 Oct 1830

William L. Howard married to Rebecca Milner on 11 Sep 1833

John D. Milner married to Matilda Lumpkin on 11 Sep 1833

Robert C. Daniel married to Emily G. Milner on 21 Jun 1831

Oglethorpe County, Georgia

Thomas K. Hawkins married to Ammoretta Milner on 13 Jan 1840

Jonathon G. Milner married to Susan Robertson on 5 Apr 1841

Wm. T. Landrum married to Sarah Milner on 23 Dec 1852

John D. Milner married to Elizabeth Sims on 18 Sep 1854*

NOTE:

John D. Milner and Elizabeth marriage date on index but actual marriage record does not appear on the page mentioned in the public record.

1850 FEDERAL CENSUS OF OGLETHORPE COUNTY

151	John D. Milner	age 42	male		born in Georgia
	Matilda	37	female		"
	Sarah	16	female		"
	John E.	14	male		"
	George M.	12	male		"
	Johnathon	10	male		"
	William L.	7	male		"
	Cordelia	5	female		"
	Amoretta	4	male		"
241	Dr. Samuel Glenn	age 47	male	physician	born in SCarolina
	Sophia	40	female		born in Georgia
	Martha R.	19	female		"
	James H.?	14	male		"
	Emily A.	12	female		"
318	Wm. Howard	age 40	male	farmer	born in Georgia
	John C. Milner	14	male		"
	Martha Milner	13	female		"
	Wm. Milner	12	male		"
	Mary Milner	10	female		"

1840 FEDERAL CENSUS OF OGLETHORPE COUNTY

Jonathon Milner	1 male 20/30 years old 1 male 60/70 years old	no females
John D. Milner	2 male under 5 years old 1 male 30/40 years old	1 female under 5 years old 1 female 5/10 years old 1 female 20/30 years old
Thompson Meliner	2 male under 5 years old 1 male 30/40 years old	3 female 5/10 years old 1 female 30/40 years old

PROBATE RECORDS OF OGLETHORPE COUNTY

John Milner Estate Settlement, Deed Book G, 1812, page 317: " . . . Whereas their has existed certain matters of controversy and differently to prospect of greater disagreements arising hereafter among the heirs or Legatees of John Milner Sen. late of said county deed and for the suppressing of future controversy and law suits, as well as settling all present disputes and controversy the said heirs and legatees have appointed and chosen as the undersigned arbitrators, to whom they have referred all said disputes and controversy, which we have taken into consideration and after the most mature deliberation and hearing and examining all the parties together with their witnesses, are of the opinion and award accordingly on our oath, first that each one of the heirs or Legatees continue to have possess and peaceably enjoy forever all and singular the property and estate which they already recd. from said deceased both real and personal whether verbal gifts or by making title to the same and further in this number of our awards we include Benjamin Milner and Jonathan Milners land, second we are of the opinion and award accordingly that Thomas Powell is entitled to that tract of land will and conveyed to him by so deed and the rest of the legatees shall accordingly relinquish all claim of said land to said Powell whenever thereunto required — Thirdly we are of the opinion and award that John and James Ballard are entitled to that tract of land formerly willed them by so deceased and the rest of the legatees shall accordingly relinquish all claims to said tract of land to the said Ballard whenever thereto required — Further we do award that the whole of the rest and residue of the Estate of said John Milner decd both real and personal including all money, notes, etc. shall be equally awarded amongst the whole of the legatees or heirs (viz) Pitt Milner Benjamin Milner John Milner Jonathan Milner Mary Callaway Thomas Powell Simeon and John Milner heirs of Willis Milner decd one share to be awarded between the two, and John and James Ballard one share to be awarded between the two, including the general stock to be awarded a certain Negroe man by the name of Abram which has been claimed by Thomas Powell, as we are clearly of the opinion said Powell is only entitled to his equal part of said Negroe with the rest of the heirs sd decd —

In witness whereof we and each of us have hereunto set our hands and seals this 20th day of May 1812 —

William Lumpkin	Jno. Lumpkin
J. Callaway	Jno. Stewart
Thomas Dunn J.P.	Richd Bailey

CEMETERY RECORDS, MILNER CEMETERY NEAR RALPH BRIDGES, OGLETHORPE COUNTY

Jonathon Milner, born 26 Jan 1778, died 24 Dec 1844.

Rebecca Milner, born 26 Apr 1783, died 29 Sep 1829, wife of Jonathon Milner.

Matilda P. Milner, born —, died 18 Oct 1850, 37 yrs., 9 mos., 19 days, wife of John D. Milner and dau. of Rev. George Lumpkin.

Rebecca H. Howard, born —, died 28 Nov 1842, 28 years, 8 mos., 14 days, consort of Wm. T. Howard and dau. of Jonathon and Rebecca Milner.

JOHN MILNER (1775-1841)

John Milner was the 4th son of John Milner of Wilkes County, Georgia who moved from South Carolina. At the age of 21, he married Miss Eunice Callaway of Wilkes County and raised 11 children in a christian way of life. He was an astute and knowledgeable man who took advantage of those educational opportunities around him. He and his wife were devout followers of Christ and are remembered for practicing family prayer.

In 1812 his father died and it was in that year he received a new "spiritual awakening" and dedicated himself unto the Lord. He was baptized by Rev. Jesse Mercer in the Sardis Church in Wilkes County and served as a Deacon. In his 50th year in 1825, about the time he migrated to Jones County, he was ordained to the ministry. Those who attended his sermons were not only impressed with him as a man but felt he was truly inspired in his messages.

He was reported to be a true Christian in every way and never neglected the widows, orphans, or those less fortunate than himself. On the Sabboth day before his death, he preached at the Sardis Church from Acts XVIII: 38,39 and suffered a "slight attack" from an affection of the heart.

Among his last words were, "I shall die, but I am not afraid of death", "O, my children, I have taught you the way, I have kept the faith". He was buried in the Zebulon Street Cemetery in Barnesville, Ga. Cemetery record copied by DAR shows . . . Rev. John Milner b. 17 Oct 1775, d. 21 Jan 1841.

NOTE:

Tax Digests for Oglethorpe County are available but not copied for his compilation because they are too numerous.

Information on John Milner obtained from "Biographical Sketches of Prominent Baptists, p. 390-91.

See Wilkes County for descendants of John Milner 1775-1841.

PAULDING COUNTY, GEORGIA

Paulding County was formed in 1832 from Cherokee Lands, Carroll, and Cobb County. Countyseat is Dallas, Zip 30132.

1850 FEDERAL CENSUS OF PAULDING COUNTY

373 Jesse M. Wood	age 34 male	M.B. preacher	born in Georgia
Eliza	23 female		"

NOTE:

Eliza is a Milner.

PIKE COUNTY, GEORGIA

Pike County was formed in 1822 from Monroe. Countyseat is Zebulon, Zip 30295.

DEED, GRANTEE INDEX OF PIKE COUNTY 1823 TO 1850

Pitt Milner	- J. Davis	1823	WD A	p. 218	Lot 182	10th Dist.
John Milner	- R. Miller	1822	WD A	p. 266	Lot 89	7th Dist.
John Milner	- T. Beckman	1825	WD A	p. 404	Lot 89	9th Dist.
Dudley Milner	- S. Houston	1824	WD A	p. 502	Lot 96	7th Dist.
John Milner	- B. Milner	1826	WD A	p. 528	Lot 69	7th Dist.
John Milner	- R. Scott	1826	WD A	p. 528	Lot 69	7th Dist.
John Milner	- J. R. Scott	1826	WD A	p. 528	Lot 69	7th Dist.
John Milner	- J. Downs	1826	WD B	p. 44	Lot 71	7th Dist.
Willis Milner	- R. Atkinson	1827	WD B	p. 119	Lot 89	7th Dist.
Simon Milner	- J. Towns	1827	WD B	p. 135	Lot 125	7th Dist.
John Milner	- J. Stanley	1827	WD B	p. 402	Lot 35	8th Dist.
John Milner	- R. Caslan	1827	WD B	p. 403	Lot —	7th Dist.
Wm E. Milner	- I. Clayton	1828	WD B	p. 449	Lot 64	7th Dist.
Dudley Milner	- I. Clayton	1828	WD B	p. 449	Lot 64	7th Dist.
Obediah Milner	- J. Turner	1828	WD B	p. 451	Lot 33	7th Dist.
Pitt W. Milner	- P. Milner	1829	WD B	p. 475	Lot —	9th Dist.
Willis J. Milner	- Jno. Milner	1829	WD B	p. 484	Lot —	7th Dist.
Pitt S. Milner	- Geo. Hamil	1830	WD C	p. 34	Lot —	— Dist.
John H. Milner	- H. Jones	1836	WD D	p. 474	Lot —	9th Dist.
Elisha C. Milner	- J. Dennard	1831	WD C	p. 179	Lot —	7th Dist.
J. B. Milner	- J. Lavender	——	WD B	p. 173	Lot —	— Dist.
John Milner	- A. Talmage	1833	WD D	p. 30	Lot —	7th Dist.
Pitt S. Milner	- J. Long	1833	WD D	p. 56	Lot —	7th Dist.
Willis J. Milner	- W. Terrill	1832	WD D	p. 68	Lot —	7th Dist.
Willis J. Milner	- G. Hamil	1824	WD D	p. 69	Lot —	7th Dist.
John Milner	- W. Bailey	1834	WD D	p. 119	Lot —	7th Dist.
Dudley Milner	- W. Clayton	1833	WD D	p. 98	Lot —	7th Dist.
Pitt W. Milner	- B. Brown	1835	WD D	p. 328	Lot —	9th Dist.
John H. Milner	- A. Battle	1835	WD D	p. 327	Lot —	9th Dist.

Pitt Milner, Sr.	- Pitt W. Milner	1837	WD E	p. 119	Lot —	9th Dist.
John H. Milner	- D. Montgomery	1838	WD E	p. 237	Lot —	9th Dist.
John H. Milner	- J. Simmons	1839	WD E	p. 383	Lot —	9th Dist.
Willis J. Milner	- J. Whatley	1839	WD E	p. 438	Lot —	7th Dist.
Geo. W. Milner	- J. H. Milner	1843	WD G	p. 119	Lot —	9th Dist.
John H. Milner	- J. Gordon	1841	WD F	p. 412	Lot —	9th Dist.
Benj. Milner	- J. Thornton	1842	WD F	p. 447	Lot —	7th Dist.
Benj. Milner	- J. Brown	1840	WD F	p. 448	Lot —	7th Dist.
Willis J. Milner	- T. Bloodworth	1828	WD G	p. 41	Lot —	7th Dist.
Geo. W. Milner	- W. Scott	1845	WD G	p. 390	Lot —	7th Dist.
Geo. W. Milner	- W. Bowland	1845	WD G	p. 391	Lot —	— Dist.
Willis J. Milner	- M. Marsh	1847	WD H	p. 88	Lot —	7th Dist.
Jonathon P. Milner	- E. Kent	1846	WD H	p. 116	Lot —	8th Dist.
Jonathon P. Milner	- E. Kent	1847	WD H	p. 125	Lot —	8th Dist.
Benjamin Milner	- C. Gachet	1844	WD H	p. 223	Lot —	8th Dist.
Benj. Milner	- A. Shehee	1846	WD H	p. 225	Lot —	8th Dist.
Benj. Milner	- S. Kendrick	1846	WD H	p. 226	Lot —	7th Dist.
Benj. Milner	- M. Brown	1846	WD H	p. 227	Lot —	7th Dist.
Willis J. Milner	- H. Smith	1846	WD H	p. 263	Lot —	7th Dist.
Benj. Milner	- R. Long	1849	WD H	p. 514	Lot —	8th Dist.
Ed. J. Milner	- T. Chipman	——	WD H	p. 544	Lot —	7th Dist.
W. J. Milner	- J. Sisson	——	WD H	p. 547	Lot —	7th Dist.
Willis J. Milner	- J. Martin	——	WD H	p. 547	Lot —	7th Dist.
Willis J. Milner	- J. Sisson	——	WD H	p. 548	Lot —	7th Dist.
Willis J. Milner	- G. Gillespie	1849	WD H	p. 548	Lot —	7th Dist.
Willis J. Milner	- N. McCleod	——	WD H	p. 550	Lot —	7th Dist.
Willis J. Milner	- R. King	1849	WD H	p. 551	Lot —	7th Dist.
Willis J. Milner	- A. Duncan	——	WD H	p. 551	Lot —	7th Dist.
Willis J. Milner	- R. Hunter	——	WD H	p. 552	Lot —	7th Dist.
Benj. Milner	- J. Messer	1849	WD H	p. 567	Lot —	8th Dist.
Willis J. Milner	- Sam Eley	——	WD H	p. 593	Lot —	7th Dist.
Benj. Milner	- A. Moore	1850	WD H	p. 593	Lot —	7th Dist.
Pitt S. Milner	- G. Ozburn	1850	WD J	p. 332	Lot —	7th Dist.
Jonathan Milner	- B. Chapman	1850	WD J	p. 328	Lot —	Griffin

DEED, GRANTOR INDEX OF PIKE COUNTY 1823 TO 1850:

Benj. Milner	- John Milner	1826	WD A	p. 528	Lot —	7th Dist.
John Milner	- G. Osborn	1826	WD B	p. 46	Lot —	7th Dist.
Dudley Milner	- C. Oliver	1828	WD C	p. 273	Lot —	7th Dist.
John Milner	- Z. Goodwin	1828	WD B	p. 395	Lot —	9th Dist.
Willis J. Milner	- G. Barnes	1828	WD B	p. 460	Lot —	7th Dist.
John Milner	- G. Barnes	1828	WD B	p. 458	Lot —	7th Dist.
Pitt Milner	- Pitt W. Milner	1829	WD B	p. 475	Lot —	9th Dist.
John Milner	- Willis J. Milner	1829	WD B	p. 484	Lot —	7th Dist.
John Milner	- C. Wynn	1829	WD B	p. 485	Lot —	8th Dist.

Obediah Milner	- N. Briant	1830	WD C	p. 25	Lot —	3rd Dist.
Dudley Milner	- S. Bloodwant	1829	WD C	p. 52	Lot —	7th Dist.
John Milner	- J. Shivers	1830	WD C	p. 54	Lot —	7th Dist.
Willis J. Milner	- J. SMith	1829	WD C	p. 98	Lot —	7th Dist.
Pitt Milner	- J. Shivers	1830	WD C	p. 140	Lot —	7th Dist.
Pitt S. Milner	- J. Barnes ?	1830	WD C	p. 180	Lot —	7th Dist.
Pitt W. Milner	- J. Holmes	1830	WD C	p. 330	Lot —	9th Dist.
Pitt Milner	- J. Long	1833	WD D	p. 55	Lot —	7th Dist.
Willis J. Milner	- Bapt. Church	1834	WD D	p. 67	Lot —	7th Dist.
Dudley Milner	- D. Goddard	1834	WD D	p. 99	Lot —	7th Dist.
Dudley Milner	- I. Tinney	1829	WD D	p. 194	Lot —	7th Dist.
Wm. E. Milner	- I. Tinney	1831	WD D	p. 256	Lot —	7th Dist.
Willis J. Milner	- D. Crawford	1835	WD D	p. 281	Lot —	7th Dist.
Willis J. Milner	- J. Johnson	1837	WD E	p. 16	Lot —	7th Dist.
Pitt Milner	- Wm. Beckman	1837	WD E	p. 117	Lot —	7,8,9 Dist.
Pitt Milner	- Pitt Milner, Sr.	1837	WD E	p. 119	Lot —	7,8,9 Dist.
John H. Milner	- Geo. W. Milner	1843	WD G	p. 119	Lot —	8,9 Dist.
Willis J. Milner	- C. Pringle	1843	WD G	p. 83	Lot —	7th Dist.
Wm. N. Milner	- E. Daniel	1845	WD -	p. 408	Lot —	———
Willis J. Milner	- H. Smith	1840	WD H	p. 87	Lot —	7th Dist.
Geo. W. Milner	- W. Bearham	1845	WD H	p. 82	Lot —	9th Dist.
Jonathon Milner	- W. Alexander	184-	WD H	p. 146	Lot —	9th Dist.
Willis J. Milner	- M. McDaniel	1849	WD J	p. 244	Lot —	7th Dist.
Jonathon P. Milner	- W. Beckman	1850	WD J	p. 302	Lot —	Zebulon
Pitt S. Milner	- J. Ready	1843	WD G	p. 242	Lot —	———

TAX DIGESTS OF PIKE COUNTY

Capt. John May's Dist: 1825

Dudley Millener	1 poll	202¼ acres
Obadiah Millener	1 poll	—
Willis J. Millener	3 poll	202½ acres
Simeon Millener	3 poll	202½ acres

Capt. Covington's Dist: 1827

Dudley Milner	1 poll	150 acres
John Millner	1 poll	100 acres
Simeon Millner	3 poll	202½ acres
Obadiah Millner	1 poll	50 acres
John Milliner	1 poll	— acres

Capt. Long's Dist: 1831

Willis I. Milliner	11 poll	202½ acres
Elizabeth Milliner	1 poll	101¼ acres
John Milliner	1 poll	202½ acres

Capt. Patterson's Dist: 1826

Willis J. Milner	5 poll	202½ acres
John Milner	1 poll	101¼ acres
Dudley Milner	1 poll	150 acres
Simeon Milner	3 poll	202½ acres

Capt. Covington's Dist: 1829

Dudley Milliner	1 poll	235 acres*
John Milliner	1 poll	100 acres*
Obadiah Milliner	1 poll	202½ acres

Capt. Elliotts Dist: 1834

John Milner	9 poll	202½ acres
John Milner	4 poll	202½ acres
John Milner	4 poll	202½ acres
Pitt S. Milner	6 poll	106 acres

Capt. Wilson's Dist: 1831			Pitt S. Milner	6 poll	5 acres
Penelope Millinor	?	?	Elisha C. Milner	1 poll	202½ acres
			Eliz. Milner	1 poll	202½ acres
			Eliz. Milner	1 poll	101¼ acres
			Eliz. Milner	1 poll	101¼ acres

*Had an agent represent them.

DEED ABSTRACTS FROM GRANTEE AND GRANTOR LISTS:

George W. Milner from John H. Milner year 1841, given as a gift, WD G p. 119, 85 acres granted, Lot 85 and 86 of Distict 9.

WD A p. 218, indenture made 21 Aug 1823 between John Milner of Jones County, Ga. and Joseph Davis of the county of Chatham . . . and Pitt Milner of Jones County . . . land lying in Monroe County now Pike county. (Pitt Milner and heirs.)

Indenture made 1 Dec 1824 between Samuel Houston of Pike County and Dudley Milner of Jasper County. p. 502 of record.

Indenture made 25th day of 1825 between John Downs of Henry County and John Milner of Jasper County for $150 . . . tract of land lying and being in the county of Monroe known as Lot 94 of the 7th District. Now in Pike County. WD B p. 44.

Records of a lost town called Newman in Pike County had two entires as follows:

1. Thos. Beckham to John Milner	200	9th Dist.	p. 404
2. Wm L. Crayton to John Milner	71	7th Dist.	p. 529

1830 FEDERAL CENSUS OF PIKE COUNTY

Pitt W. Milner	one male under 5 yrs. old two male 20/30 yrs. old	one female 15/20 yrs. old
Pitt S. Milner	one male 10/15 yrs. old two male 20/30 yrs. old	one female 15/20 yrs. old
Willis J. Milner	one male under 5 yrs. old one male 20/30 yrs. old one male 30/40 yrs. old	one female under 5 yrs. old one female 20/30 yrs. old
Eliz. Milner	three male under 5 yrs. old two male 5/10 yrs. old one male 10/15 yrs. old	one female under 5 yrs. old one female 10/15 yrs. old two female 15/20 yrs. old one female 20/30 yrs. old one female 40/50 yrs. old one female 90/10 yrs. old
James Millner	one male 15/20 yrs. old one male 30/40 yrs. old	one female under 5 yrs. old one female 20/30 yrs. old

1840 FEDERAL CENSUS OF PIKE COUNTY

George W. Milner	one male 20/30 yrs. old	one female 15/20 yrs. old
John Milner	one male 30/40 yrs. old one male 60/70 yrs. old	one female 70/80 yrs. old
John H. Milner	two male 5/10 yrs. old one male 20/30 yrs. old one male 40/50 yrs. old	two female under 5 yrs. old one female 5/10 yrs. old one female 10/15 yrs. old one female 15/20 yrs. old one female 40/50 yrs. old
Benjamin M. Milner	two male 20/30 yrs. old	

1850 FEDERAL CENSUS OF PIKE COUNTY

656	Pitt S. Milner	age 43 male		
	Pamelia N.	38 female		
	Elisha C.	18 male		
	A.W.	16 male		
	George W.	14 male		
	Ester	12 female		
	Joseph B.	9 male		
	Pitt N.	8 male		
	Salina E.	5 female		
	Nancy E.	1 female		
775	Elizabeth Milner	age 59 female	—	born in NCarolina
	Benjamin	23 male		born in Georgia
776	Simeon Milner	age 28 male	farmer	born in Georgia
	Elizabeth	25 female		born in SCarolina
837	Willis J. Milner	age 53 male	farmer	born in Georgia
	Mary A.	38 female		
	Lilla E.	20 female		
	Bonita E.	16 female		
	Sarah E.	11 female		
	Willis J.	9 male		
1121	George W. Milner	age 32 male	farmer	born in Georgia
	Mary	26 female		
	Elizabeth	1 female		
138	Pitt Milner	age 30 male	farmer	born in Georgia
	Sophia	23 female		"
	John W.	5 male		"
	Mary G.C.	4 female		"
	Elias S.	2 female		"

Pike County, Georgia

768	Jonathon J. Milner	age 34	male	——	born in Georgia
	Martha	28	female		"
	Willis B.	10	male		
	John	8	male		
	Sarah M.	5	male		
	Ursula B.	3	female		
	Tilla O.	1	female		
	G.W. Winn	18	male	overseerer	
	Eliza Coppedge	30	female		
	John T. Coppedge	13	male		
	Mary E. Coppedge	5	female		
	James C. Coppedge	3	male		
	Joseph M. Coppedge	1	male		
1153	B.F. Milner	age 39	male	farmer	born in Georgia
	Margarett M.	27	female		
	Edward C.	6	male		
	Georgia L.	3	female		
	John B. Polk	1	male		
	Daniel Shehee	20	male	overseerer	
	Julia ?	18	female		
333	Jonathon P. Milner	age 32	male	merchant	born in Georgia
	Mary L.	20	female		"
	Robert F.	2	male		"
	Margarette L.	1	female		"
	Elisha C. Milner	17	male	student	"
	E.P. Rawson	20	male	clerk	"
365	John H. Milner	age 58	farmer		born in Georgia
	Elizabeth D.	54	female		"
	Martha R.	21	female		"
	Jonathon J.	19	male	farmer	"
	Richard W.	17	male	student	"
	Mary J.	15	female		"
	Rebecca M.R.	13	female		"
1303	M. Milner	age 25	female		born in Georgia
	(a muliato living with W.F. Moor family)				

PROBATE RECORDS OF PIKE COUNTY

John H. Milner, Will Book C, p. 174-176

Willis J. Milner listed as extr. of Jno. R. Brown est, 1836.

Willis J. Milner named guardian of Circus M. Arnold, minor, 1836.

Willis J. Milner in settlement of J. Brown, estate, 1836-42.

PROBATE ABSTRACTS OF PIKE COUNTY

Will of JOHN H. MILNER of Pike County, Georgia: "In the name of God, Amen. I, John H. Milner of the county and state aforesaid being of sound and . . . mind and memory and desirous of availing myself of the privileges the law allows me of disposing of the estate with which my Heavenly Father has blessed me after my decease do make this my last will and testament hereby revoking all former wills by me at any time made in manner following that is to say:

I will that all my just debts be paid out of my present crop.

I will devise and bequeath unto my beloved wife the following property to wit negroes Abram and his wife Lydia, Isaac and his wife Milly, Lucy and Malinda together with my house and all my household and kitchen furniture and all my stock of every kind and my carriage and buggy wagon and carts and all the crop except the cotton crop . . . and all my plantation tools and implements. To have and to hold to her own proper use benefit and behoof for and during her natural life and no longer subject to the changes and membrances hereafter made thereon in the item the fourth of this my will.

I account it that I have heretofore given and advanced to my dau. Susan Putnam wife of James M. Putnam in property and membrance including a negro girl Maria now loaned to her, 1700 dollars, and to my son Pitt Milner in property with cash nineteen hundred dollars and to my daughter Apsila Ann Beckham wife of Soloman G. Beckham in property and 1700 dollars and to my daughter Eliza J. Wood wife of Jesse Wood in property and including the negro boy William now loaned to her 1700 dollars . . . and my will is that my said children above mentioned as advanced receive no more of my estate until on the final division thereof after the death of my wife as hereafter mentioned except cash enough out of crops to make them all equal in situation to my son Pitt.

I will that all the balance estate and residue of my estate be by my wife an executors kept together and worked as now for and during the life of my wife and my will is that as such of my children Martha Rowena Milner, Jonathon James Milner, Richard Willis Milner, Mary Jane Milner, Rebecca Amoretta F. Milner shall marry or settle off to themselves as they wish they shall receive and be advanced by my executors out of any of my said property remainder except my plantation lands equal in value to what I have given my son Pitt above mentioned and no more until the final division after my wife's death. But my sons Jonathon J. and Richard W. if they wish it may work any of my land free of rent.

I will that my executors sell in any way them deem best at either public or private sale any land I may own except my home plantation near Zebulon in Pike County except my interest in lands in Randolph County, Alabama which last I have given to my older brother Joshua L. Calloway, mentioned except cash enough out of the crops to make him all equal in valuation to my son Pitt.

I will that all the balance estate and residue of my estate be by my wife and executors kept together and worked as now for during the life of my wife and my will is that as such of my children Martha Rowena Milner, Jonathon James Milner, Richard Willis Milner, Mary Jane Milner, Rebecca Amoretta Floretta Milner shall marry or settle off to themselves as they wish they shall receive cash and be advanced by my executors out of any of my said property Emanuel County except my plantation lands equal in evaluation given to my son Pitt above mentioned and no more until the final division after my wife's death. But my sons Jonathon J., and Richard W. if they wish it may work any of my land free of rent.

I will that my executors shall in any way they deem best at either public or private sales any land I may own except home plantation near Zebulon in Pike County, Ga., except my interest in lands in Randolph County, Alabama which last I have given to my older brother Joshua J. Calloway.

I will that after the death of my wife, my home plantation near Zebulon in Pike County be by my executors sold at public or private sale in a body and if thought advisable by them in their annual installments; and then the whole residue of my estate including the remainder of what I have given my wife for her life an also whatsoever may be coming to me from the estate of my deceased father or otherwise after making all my children equal as above mentioned, be equally divided among all my children . . . then representation share and share alike except that if any of my daughters shall die before such division having no children or child then the husband or representative of such daughter so dying without leaving children living at her death to have no further part or share of my estate on said division but that the part or share that would otherwise be coming to her be equally divided among the rest of my children.

I will that all the part or share of my estate which shall be coming to my daughter Susan Putnam wife of James M. Putnam including the negro girl Maria now loaned to her be vested in and remain in my son George W. Milner as Trustee for the sole and separate benefit and behalf of my same daughter and her children forever free from the control debts or contracts of her present or any future husband with power for son or Trustee to manage the same as to him may deem best for my same daugher.

I hereby appoint my son George W. Milner and my son-in-law Soloman G. Beckham executors of this my last will and testament and request of them to accept the appointments.

In witness wherein I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my seal this the 1st Nov 1851.

signed John H. Milner

PROBATE RECORDS OF PIKE COUNTY, ADMINISTRATIONS AND BONDS

GEORGE W. MILNER administrator of the estate of William Bowland, this done together with JOHN H. MILNER.

GEORGE W. MILNER and JONATHON J. MILNER securities for the settlement of the estate of Wm. Bowland 12 Sep 1859.

JONATHON P. MILNER security for the estate of SIMEON MILNER, deceased. 5 Sep 1849.

PITT S. MILNER . . . The condition of the below obligations is such that of the below bound PITT S. MILNER who is the day appointed guardian of the person and property of ELISHA C. MILNER, minor child of said PITT S. MILNER, he acknowledgeing of the same by his acceptance of said appointment and the letters of Guardianship of this date shall will and truly maintain clothe and educate said minor according to the laws of this state and shall annually make a just and true return of all his actings and doings herein, unto the said Court . . . this obligation to remain in full force . . . we set our hands and seals.

signed PITT MILNER 6 Nov 1833

Know all men by these presents that we PITT S. MILNER and Tabian Frary acknowledge ourselves jointly and severally bound unto the honourable Justice of the Inferior Court of said County, sitting as a Court of Ordinary and their successors and assignees in the just said full sum of $16,000 to the payment of which will and truly to be made, we bind ourselves and the

heirs and executors of us and each of us jointly and severally by those present, sealed with our seals and dated this 4th Nov 1833.

Know all me by these present that we PITT S. MILNER and Charles G. Turner acknowledge ourselves jointly bound unto the honorable, the Justices of the Inferior Court of said County sitting as a court of Ordinary and their successors and assignees in the just sum of $1700 to the true payment of which will and truly to be made we bind ourselves and the heirs and executors of us and each of us jointly and severally by these present. Sealed with our seals and dated this 5th day of July 1835.

The condition of the above obligation is such that if the above bound P.S. MILNER who is this day appointed guardian of the person and property of Elisha C. Milner minor child of the said Pitt S. Milner, he acknowledging of the same by his acceptance of said application of Letters of Guardianship of this date shall will and truly maintain, clothe, educate said minor according to his circumstances and shall take good care and lawful care of his person and property according to the laws of this state, and shall annually make a just and true return of all his actings and doings herein unto the said court thru this obligation to be void else to remain in full force. signed PITT S. MILNER
Chas. Turner

SALLIE E. MILNER appointed guardian on page 299 of public record at $4000 bond.

GEORGE W. MILNER appointed guardian on p. 326 of public record on 5 Oct 1874 at $5000 bond.

SALLIE E. MILNER principal and appointed guardian with GEORGE W. MILNER and Chas. F. Redding securities with $4000 bond for the minor JOHN H. MILNER, WILLIS MILNER, MARY E. MILNER, and MARTHA AMMORETTA MILNER, orphans of RICHARD MILNER deceased. Dated 5 Sep 1877.

INFERIOR COURT RECORDS OF PIKE COUNTY*

W. J. MILNER verses S. Williams in a suit over the sum of $243.42.

WILLIS J. MILNER, BENJ. MILNER, PITT S. MILNER defendants against Milford Marsh. Jury finds for the plaintiff 500 dollars in principal and three dollars protest fees with interest and cost of suit. Year 1842.

WILLIS J. MILNER verses John W. L. Buckannon. Judgement to the plaintiff for $72.57 and interest and costs of suit.

WILLIS I. MILNER verses J. W. Coppedge and John Neal.

W. J. MILNER, B. M. MILNER, P. S. MILNER versus U. S. Trusted Griffin Male and Female Academy. Year 1843.

JONATHON MILNER takes Oath as County Treasurer. Year 1844.

J. P. MILNER reimbursed by the Inferior Court of Pike County for services. Items: 2 blankets, 1 bottle of ink, 3 record books. Amt of $30.75.

WILLIS MILNER verses Curtis Lewis for debt of $300.14 with interest and cost of suit. Defendant wants right to appeal. Year 1848.

J. WILLIS MILNER verses Uriah Askew over debt. Plaintiff received $29.19 with cost of court. Defendant reserving right to appeal. Year 1848.

Pike County, Georgia

JONATHON P. MILNER verses Augustus P. Bernie for debt of $33.54. Year 1849.

WILLIS J. MILNER verses Edward F. Knott. Plaintiff granted $36.36 with cost of suit. Year 1849.

*Court Records from 1831 to 1841 did not list Milners. Years from 1823 to 1840 were not read.

MARRIAGE INDEX OF PIKE COUNTY, YEARS 1840 TO 1855

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Wilson Clark married to Jane Emily Milner on 26 Aug 1832*

Elisha C. Milner married to Mary C. Brown on 9 Nov 1832*

James Milner married to Sarah Belcher on 22 Nov 1828*

Pitt S. Milner married to Pamela N. Parker on 27 May 1829*

Obadiah Milner married to Sarah Childers on 28 May 1833*

NOTE:

**These marriages taken from a DAR compilation.*

CEMETERY RECORDS from Zebulon Street Cemetery in Barnesville, Ga. 5 miles south of Milner, Georgia.

Rev. John Milner, b. 17 Oct 1775, d. 21 Jan 1841.

B. M. Milner, b. 23 Mar 1811, d. 3 Jan 1904.

Simeon Milner, b. 1822, d. 1898.

Jonathon J. Milner, b. 15 Jul 1816, d. 15 Nov 1890.

Lilliore Milner Turner, b. 4 Dec 1813, d. 21 Oct 1873.

Eunice Calloway Milner, b. 19 Jul 1779, d. 27 Jul 1848.

Margaret Gachet Milner, b. 29 Apr 1828, d. 27 Jan. 1892.

Elizabeth Milner, b. 4 May 1818, d. 9 Sep 1888.

Martha D. Milner, b. 12 Nov 1821, d. 17 Dec 1904.

John H. Milner, b. 12 Dec 1856, d. 16 May 1907.

B. C. Milner, b. 10 Jun 1832, d. 11 Mar 1902.

CEMETERY RECORDS of Old Milner Cemetery Plot approximately 3½ miles west of Zebulon, Georgia.

Jonathon J. Milner, b. 10 Jan 1831, d. 11 Jun 1910.

Elizabeth Dabney Milner, b. 13 Sep 1796, d. 27 Jun 1885.

Mary Bowland Milner, b. 28 Dec 1823, d. 15 Jan 1898.

W. J. Milner, b. 21 Jul 1854, d. 29 Sep 1934.

Nancy C. Milner, b. 14 Mar 1834, d. 16 Dec 1918.

Rev. John Holmes Milner, b. 24 Jul 1792, d. 9 Mar 1893.

George Willis Milner, b. 20 Aug 1817, d. 1 Apr 1900.

John Pyron Milner, b. 22 Apr 1857, d. Aug 1862.

R. A. Milner, b. 18 Dec 1858, d. 2 Feb 1933.

BEN MOSELEY MILNER FAMILY BIBLE of Pike County, Ga. owned by J. S. Milner, Lamar Co., Ga., as printed in Georgia D.A.R. records.

MARRIAGES:

Ben Moseley Milner, b. 3-23-1811, d. 1-3-1904, m. 3-23-1843, Margaret Mariah Frances Gachet, b. 4-29-1823.

J. B. P. Milner, b. 3-14-1849, m. 11-13-1872, Susie A. Lunquest.

J. W. Vaughn and Georgia Lavenia Milner, b. 3-8-1847, m. 12-31-1885.

Jennie Stonewall Milner, b. 12-6-1867, m. Mary Dunbar, 12-26-1890.

BIRTHS:

Children of Benj. M. and Margaret M. F. Milner:

Charles Edward Milner . . . . . 3-15-1844, killed at Sharpsburg-Civil War.

Henry A. Milner 12-16-1845

Georgia L. Milner 3-8-1847

John B. P. Milner 3-14-1849

Pitt Milner 5-17-1851

Mitta Jena Milner 10-29-1854

Marion Osee Milner 8-30-1861

Bennie Milner 11-13-1863

Jennie S. Milner 12-6-1867

J. W. Vaughn 10-23-1840

Pike County, Georgia

LETTER IN THE MILNER FILE OF THE LEONARDO ANDREA COLLECTION AT THE SOUTH CAROLINA ARCHIVES

(Letter in Leonardo Andrea Collection of
Mrs. George N. Picras, Pecos, Texas, 1954)

"Our grandfather (maternal) Richard Willis Milner married Sallie Ravens. He was killed at the Battle of Fredricksburg. His parents were John Holmes Milner and Elizabeth Dabney Willis. R. W. Milner was father of Mary Eliza Milner Lee. John Holmes Milner was the son of a Rev. Captain whose wife was a Miss Abbingdon of the Virginia Abbingdons. He was of the New England Holmes. Our great grandmother Elizabeth Dabney Willis was a decendent of the Dabniers of France and the distinguished Virginia Dabneys, also the famous Willis family in Wilkes Co. whose archives there is a room set apart.

David Ravens m Nancy Stewart (Stuart) who was granddaughter of Daniel Stewart Rev. General buried at Midway church and to whom the DARs have erected a monument. He was of the House Royal of Scotland.

Sallie Ravens daughter of David and Nancy Stewart was wife of — Milner. (These are our maternal grandmother's parents.)

Mary Eliza Milner daughter of Sallie Ravens and Milner married John Henry Lee.

Our paternal grandparents are Jefferson Joshua Lee and Sarah Elizabeth McLendon. These are parents of John Henry Lee.

The Lees are of the Virginia Lees and our great grandfather Brien Lee (Brian or Bryan). Mother was a sister of Daniel Boones' wife. His mother was a Brien and they trace their ancestry to the Irish Kings who go beyond the English. Betsy McLendon was the daughter of Jacob and Annis Reynolds McClendon. Her father was a son of the distinguished Wilkes Co. McClendon. (First U.S. court ever held in Georgia was held in his grandfathers home in Wilkes County, Ga. The McClendons were Scotch and came here in 17th century. Settled in Perquimas Co., N.C. whose archives there is a room set apart.

To go back to Brien Lee. He was buried in Hebron Cemetery, Concord, Ga. Also his wife Sallie Davis of the Monroe Co. Davises who were related to Jefferson Davis descendant of the Davis family still live in the colonial home which at my last hearing was in an excellent state of repair."

unsigned

REV. JOHN HOLMES MILNER (1792-1857)

John Holmes Milner was born 24 July 1792 in Wilkes County, Georgia and died 9 March 1857 in Pike County, Georgia. He was the son of Pitt Milner (1769-1839) and wife Apsilla Holmes (1770-1854) and grandson of John Milner (1746-1812) and wife Elizabeth Godwin. He was married 14 April 1814 to Elizabeth Dabney Willis who was born 13 August 1796 in Wilkes County and died 10/24 June 1885 in Pike County, Georgia. Elizabeth was the daughter of George Willis (1754-1827) and wife Susannah Baker (1757-1843) of Wilkes County, who lived on the plantation adjoining that of Pitt Milner.(1)

Rev. John H. Milner was converted at any early age. He was baptized by Rev. Jesse Mercer at the age of 16 and became a member of the Sardis Baptist Church. Two years after the marriage of John to Elizabeth, they moved to Jones County and from there to Monroe County. A John Milner from Wilkes County bought property in Jasper County in 1816 and in Monroe County in 1823. (Monroe was formed from Jasper and Baldwin counties.)(1)

Upon moving to Monroe County, John joined the Rocky Creek Baptist Church. It was at this church he was licensed to preach in 1829; later, he moved his membership to Shiloh and there was called to ordination. After the family moved on to Pike County, he is known to have preached to many congregations throughout the area, namely: Mount Olive, Hebron, Zebulon, and several churches in Meriwether County. Those who write of him applaud him for his success not only as a minister of the church, but a success as the head of a family and in his own personal life. He was not only blessed with the talent of preaching and influencing others for good, but possessed a musical talent. At one time, he served as a chorister in his native church group and is referred to as "an especially fine singer".(2)

He preached his last sermon in Zebulon only a few days before his death. His sermon was taken from Matthew 5: 13,14. He died in a few hours after he was attacked with congestion in his lungs and heart on 9 March 1857 in Pike County. His remains lie in a family graveyard marked by a marble slate which is engraved with an inscription of his own request: "A Sinner Saved By Grace".(2)

The Christian Index, reported his death on 18 March 1857 in the following obituary:

Pike County, Georgia

"Died — at his residence, in Pike County, Ga., on the 9th of March, 1857, Rev. John H. Milner, aged 64 years, 7 months, and 13 days. His sufferings were short but violent. He was reading about 4 o'clock in the evening but was a corpse before 12 at night. While in extreme agony, he would gently wipe the sweat from his face, and mildly say 'I suffer — but nothing to what my Saviour suffered for me!' 'I sweat water — but He sweat blood for poor sinners like me!'

A short while before he died, he became tranquil, and his immortal spirit, without a struggle or a groan, left its tenament of clay, and, no doubt, was escorted by angels to the mansions of glory!"[3]

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1. Information on Rev. John Holmes Milner contributed by Homer C. Cooper of Athens, Georgia.
2. *Biographical Sketches of Prominent Baptists,* p. 389-390.
3. *The Christian Index,* Macon, Georgia, Wednesday, March 18, 1857, Vol 36, No. 11, page 43.

DESCENDANTS OF JOHN HOLMES MILNER AND ELIZABETH DABNEY WILLIS

A. Susan Willis Milner born 10 June 1815, Wilkes County, and died 1883. Married James Madison Putnam 13 Oct 1831. Living in Meriwether County, Ga. in 1850.

B. George Willis Milner born 10 Aug 1817, Jones County, and died 2 Apr 1900. Married 12 Sep 1839 to Mary Bowland (1823-1898). Settled in Pike County, Ga.

C. Pitt Willis Milner born 7 Sep 1819, Jones County, and died 1893. Married in Pike County on 26 Jan 1843 to Sophia Wright (born 1827). Settled in Caldwell Parish, La.

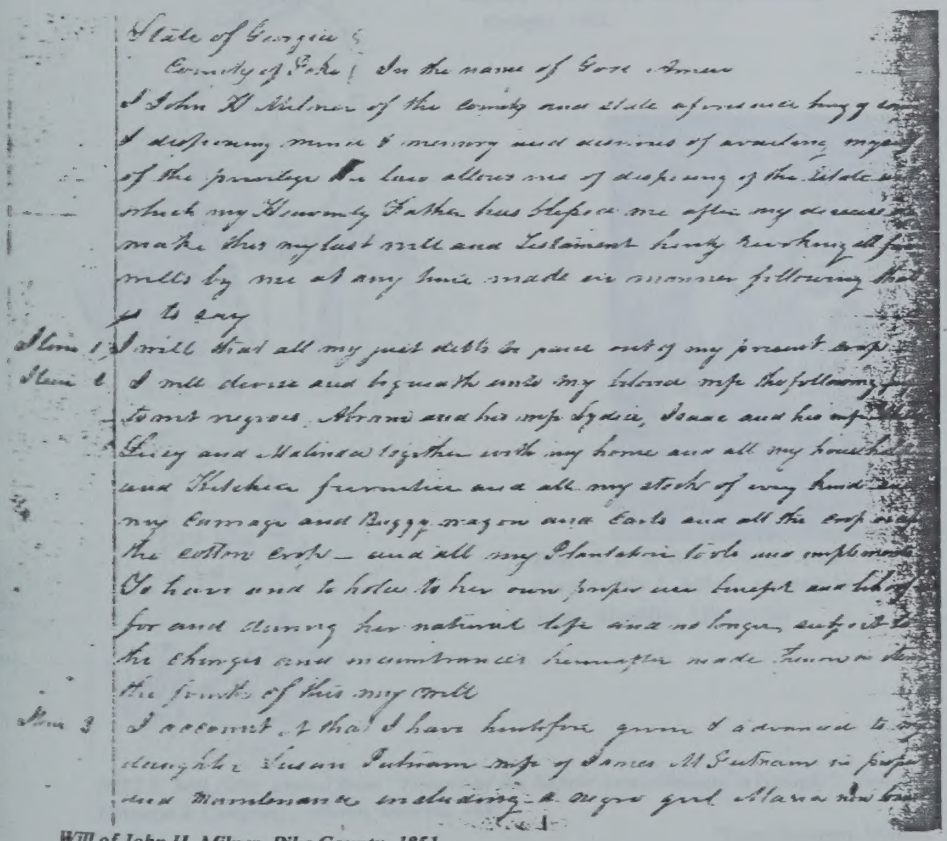
D. Apsilla Ann Milner born 10 Feb 1822, Jones County. Married 13 Sep 1839 to Solomon G. Beckham and was living in Panola County, Texas in 1882.

E. Elizabeth Sims Milner born 7 Sep 1824 in Monroe County. Married (1) to John J. Eppinger (1825-1850) on 17 Dec 1844; and (2) in 1859 to Rev. James F. McCleod. Presumed to have settled in Shelby County, Texas.

F. Eliza Penelope Milner born 22 Oct 1826 in Monroe County, and died 18 Oct 1908. Married 1 Sep 1846 to Rev. Jesse Mercer Wood (1815-1892) and lived at Knoxville, Forsyth, Cedartown, Atlanta, Barnesville, Cummings, and other towns in Georgia.

G. Martha Rowena Milner born 2 Mar 1829 in Monroe County, and married 3 Oct 1854 to Richard S. Ravens (born 1827). Settled in Louisiana.

H. Jonathon James Milner born 10 Jan 1831 in Monroe County and died 3 Jun 1910. Married 2 Jan 1853 to Nancy Catherine Bowland (1834-1918) and settled in Pike County.



State of Georgia }
County of Pike } In the name of God Amen
I John H Milner of the county and state aforesaid being [illegible]
I disposing mind & memory and desirous of availing myself
of the privilege the law allows me of disposing of the estate [illegible]
which my Heavenly Father has blessed me after my decease [illegible]
make this my last will and Testament hereby revoking all [illegible]
wills by me at any time made in manner following that
is to say
Item 1 I will that all my just debts be paid out of my present crop
Item 2 I will devise and bequeath unto my beloved wife the following [illegible]
to wit negroes Abram and his wife Lydia, Isaac and his wife [illegible]
Lucy and Malinda together with my home and all my household
and Kitchen furniture and all my stock of every kind [illegible]
my Carriage and Buggy wagon and Carts and all the crop except
the cotton crop — and all my Plantation tools and implements
To have and to hold to her own proper use benefit and [illegible]
for and during her natural life and no longer subject to
the charges and incumbrances hereinafter made [illegible]
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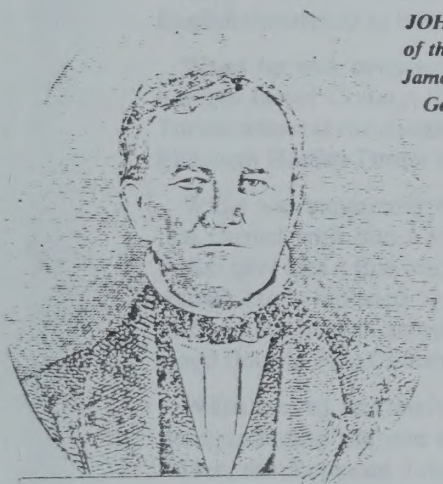
Item 3 I account it that I have heretofore given & advanced to my
daughter Susan Putnam wife of James M Putnam in proper
and maintenance including a negro girl Maria now [illegible]

Will of John H. Milner, Pike County, 1851.

I. Richard Willis Milner born 19 Mar 1833 in Monroe County, and died 1862 at the Battle of Fredericksburg. Married 12 Dec 1855 to Sarah Elizabeth Ravens (1835-1907) and settled in Pike County.

J. Mary Elenon Jane Milner born 12 Apr 1835 in Monroe County, and died 1903. Married 11 Nov 1856 to Berrien F. Reid (1833-1884) and settled at Claiborne Parish and Lincoln Parish, La.

K. Rebecca Amoretta Flovilla Milner born 8 Jul 1837 in Pike County, and died 1907. Married 12 Dec 1854 to Rev. Austin Dabney Harris (1835-1881) and settled near Lisbon, Claiborne Parish, La.



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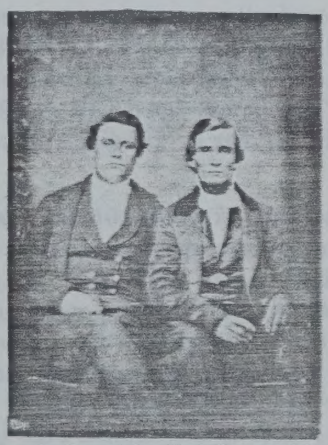
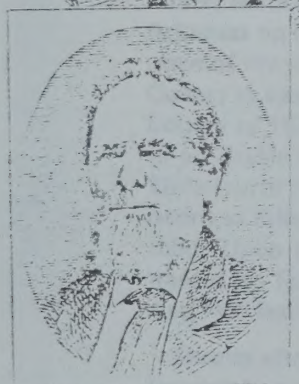


Believed to be Rev. John H. Milner and his brother, Pitt S. Milner, courtesy of Anne Scott Mauldin, Atlanta, Ga.



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WILLIS JOSHUA MILNER (1797-1864)

Willis Joshua Milner was born 20 Feb 1797 in Wilkes County, Georgia and was the eldest son of Rev. John Milner and Eunice Calloway. He had ten brothers and sisters and is reported to have probably "grown fast and matured early". Family tradition tells of him coming to the aid of his country by signing up as a volunteer in the War of 1812. This would, indeed, show maturity as he was only 15 when the war broke out in 1812. His service time in part was around Darien, Georgia and is reported to have watched from a hillside the "frenzied evacuation of that town when the English threatened to bombard it".

When he was twenty-three his father moved to Jones County, which borders Jasper County. Shortly after that move, he met his wife Elizabeth Turner who was the daughter of John Gainor and Mary Turner. He married Elizabeth Hannel Turner in Jasper County on 6 Feb 1823.

Willis was apparently a man with a dream. He was the type of pioneer that carried with him a vision and fervently pursued it all his life. Willis' father gave him a fine tract of timberland in Pike County, which was not yet settled. He is reported to have built his first home there, and "personally had to haul boards across two counties in order to give his wife the first wood floor in Pike County".

Willis moved and built between 8 and 10 houses in Georgia in his life time, including the one that was to become the permanent home of his father, the Reverend John Milner. In 1829, Willis and his father went to Arkansas on horseback "with some idea of settling there; but nothing ever came of the idea. In 1832, Willis went north to Habersham and Lumpkin County to look at the gold lands that the State was giving away in the Land Lottery of 1832. There he bought "Pigeon Roost Mine". The venture was so profitable that he is reported to have bought two or three other mines. Their fourth child, Bonita, was born there. In a few years, Willis decided to return to Pike County and Elizabeth was almost ready to deliver their fifth child. Upon returning to Pike, he started building the kind of home he wanted his family to have but before it was finished, Elizabeth died on 11 Aug 1835 leaving a two-hour-old baby who lived only three days.

Shortly after this move, railroads came to Georgia; and Willis became interested in a different type of livelihood. He contracted to grade for the

"Monroe Railroad". This proved to be an unfortunate venture due to the "Jackson Panic" and ill-advice from his financial adviser. However, he was fortunate to have his gold mines to keep him solvent.

On 15 June 1837, within a year of the death of his first wife, Willis married Mary Ann Turner, the sister of Elizabeth. They had two children of their own: Elizabeth born 18 Nov 1840 and Willis Julian born 3 May 1842. Having given up his interest in the railroad, he purchased a tract of land six miles north of town and gradually added to it until he owned six thousand acres. There were large quantities of excellent timber on the land, and soon after he built himself a home and constructed a large sawmill. He is reported to have built three large mills in "fairly quick succession" because the first two burned down.

A point of interest is the description of this last house that Willis built. The account comes from the last son of Willis, Willis Julian born 1842. He refers to it as an "elegant" large white frame house. "It had a two-storied gallery across the back and front and stood in the middle of a large yard with a white fence around it. The yards of such houses were usually about ten acres. Nothing is said about the house being on a hill, but it was exactly on the height of the land with water from one side flowing to the Atlantic and that from the other side to the Gulf. Large white oaks and chestnut trees gave plenty of shade. From white gates in front and from side fences drives converged near the front of the house, on each side of which there was a flower garden. In the back yard there was a large kitchen with its enormous chimney, the smoke house, and two storehouses. There was about an acre of fenced chicken yard and a two-acre vegetable garden, also fenced. Outside the main fence was the carriage house. The slave quarters consisted of nine houses in three rows. Each house had a space for a garden."

Willis again returned to railroad building in about 1852, while Willis was between contracts in the railroad business, he decided to make a trip to Texas. He went "via Atlanta to Montgomery, over a railroad he had assisted in building; thence by steamboat to Mobile and from there by steamer, via New Orleans to Galveston. A cholera epidemic broke out on the boat going to Galveston and Willis was one of the victims. His son Willis Julian says, "Doubtless only his composure, absolute self control and capacity to take care of himself saved his life".

Willis toured a large part of Texas and one day while leaving a plantation near the Brazos River the overseer went along to see him across. During the night they were overcome by a flash flood and took to the trees for self-preservation. It was agreed that the overseer would take the available "life preserver" and try to get help. Willis elected to stay in the tree but became apprehensive in the man's absence, in case he, a stranger, might be suspected of murder if the overseer did not make it. He was wary of what mercy was at hand according to "Texas Justice". In the afternoon of the second day someone using a horsetrough for a boat came by and rescued him. Willis "liked" the people of Texas. He commented on their hospitality and good manners being always constant. This was especially true on occasion he was invited to share camp with some gentlemen. Later he learned that they were notorious outlaws.

Late in 1855, Willis Joshua started with his family to Florida in what is referred to as his "last venture". In 1860, when his daughter Elizabeth married, he decided to go to Greenville, Ala. with them. His health was beginning to fail him and in 1863, during the war, he suffered a severe stroke which left him greatly incapacitated. Because most of what Willis had was tied up in the railroads, he became a broken man having to sell all his assets to make payment to the northern companies who then owned the railroad. Even in a wheelchair, it is said that he was clear in mind and was making plans to pick up the bits and pieces to start over again when he suffered another stroke in March 1864 and died.

DESCENDANTS

A. John Turner Milner born 29 Sep 1826 in Pike County, and died in New Castle, Ala. on 18 Aug 1878. Married Flora Ida Caldwell on 30 Dec 1855 in Greenville. She died 23 Dec 1906 in Birmingham, Ala. Both buried in Oak Hill Cemetery, Birmingham. John T. made a memorable trip to the California Gold Fields with a number of cousins, some uncles, and equipment provided by his father. He was considered a "frail" individual, but the trip west seemed to be just what he needed to build his constitution. He spent many years working with is father on railroad contracts. Milner Children:
1. Henry Willis Milner born 26 Apr 1858. Died 5 Aug 1931 in Birmingham. Married Mary Whipple 27 Dec 1882. Children: Elizabeth, John Turner, Laurens, Mary, and Flora.

2. Elizabeth Milner called "Bessie" born 1860 in Greenville. Died 1893 and buried in New Castle. Married there in 1880 to Howard Douglas. Children: Helen, Lilian, dau., son, Howard, and Florence.
3. Lillian Caldwell Milner born 31 Dec 1862 in Greenville. Died in Birmingham 29 Jan 1942. Married in New Castle 30 Aug 1882 to Cyrus Pitman Orr. Both buried in Oak Hill Cemetery. Had seven daughters: Flora, Dorothea, Lillian, Edith, Marian, Joselyn, Winifred Evelyn.
4. Florence Milner born 8 Dec 1864 in Greenville. Married 13 Dec 1882 to James Meriwether Weatherly. Died 1926 in Birmingham. Both husband and wife buried Elmwood Cemetery, Birmingham. Seven children: George, Marjorie, James Meriwether, Jr., Florence, Doris, Henry, and Colin McRae.

B. Lilly Ora Milner born 1830 in Pike County, Ga. Married 1852 to Springer Gibson. She is referred to as "lovely, talented, and popular." She was a rare woman of intellectual attainments and accomplishments and is reported to have taught in a school for girls established by her husband's family. She died in 1868 and had two children:
1. Lilly Milner born about 1864 and died about 1899. Referred to as a charming and distinguished looking person.
2. Willis Milner born 8 Sep 1866 in Cedartown. Died there about 1920. Married Mary Caldwell Bobo. Buried in Greenwood Cemetery, Cedartown. Had 7 children: Helen Bobo, Clifford Bobó, Thomas Milner Bobo, William Edwin, Lillie Bobo, and Springer Bobo.

C. Benjamin Charles Milner born 10 Jun 1832 in Pike County. Married Martha Francis Gibson on 27 Dec 1853 in Barnesville, Ga. Benjamin went to California with his brother John T. He remained in Pike County until his death on 11 Mar 1902. He and his wife are buried in the Zebulon Street Cemetery in Barnesville. They had 13 children:
1. Lola Warthen born 28 Feb 1855 and died in Atlanta in 1936. Buried in the Zebulon Street Cemetery.
2. Ida Brown Milner born 6 Mar 1857 and died 21 Jul 1915. Married James Augustus Harrison. They are buried in Elmwood Cemetery, Birmingham. Had three children: Benjamin, George Palmer, and Flora.
3. Joseph Thomas Milner born 13 Dec 1858 in Pike County. Died 10 Aug 1867 in Evergreen, Ala.
4. Benjamin CHarles, Jr. Milner born 13 Nov 1860 in Pike County and died 5 Jun 1940. Married April 1885 to Mary Ann Whitner. Both are buried

in Cave Hill Cem. in Louisville. Four children: Charles, Benjamin, Jean Shepherd, Cobb.

5. Willis Justus Milner born 2 April 1864 in Shelby, Ala. Married Martha Mildred Whitner 18 April 1888. Both buried in Westview Cemetery. Three children who died in infancy — John Charles, Martha Cobb, and Mildred. Also, had four sons who lived, Willis Justus, Jr., Benjamin Charles, Spann Whitner.

6. Alef Bonita Milner born at "Parker's Mill" near Selma, Ala. on 31 Jul 1865. Married in New Castle 29 Jan 1888 to Ovid McCurdy Sparks. Both buried in Zebulon Street Cemetery, Barnesville. Three children: Penelope, Mary Alef, George Hartmann.

7. Enoch Eskew Milner born 18 Aug 1867 in Evergreen, Ala. Died 19 Aug 1867.

8. Lillie Ora Milner born 10 Feb 1869 at Ador Town, Ga. Married John Holmes Blackburn 9 Aug 1925. Died in Atlanta 15 Jan 1927. Buried in the Blackburn lot of Greenwood Cem. Barnesville.

9. George Crossly Milner born 12 Mar 1871 and died 8 Jul 1871.

10. Jean Shepherd Milner born 2 Sep 1872 in Dadeville, Ala. Died 25 Jan 1891 in Atlanta. He was buried in the Zebulon Street Cemetery.

11. Susana Elizabeth Milner born 25 Mar 1875 in Dadeville. Died 22 Dec 1947 in LaGrange, Ga. Buried in the Zebulon Street Cemetery.

12. Robert Burton Milner born 22 Sep 1876 in New Castle. Died in the early 1930's and is buried in the Zebulon Street Cemetery.

13. John Turner Milner born 26 Sep 1980 in New Castle. Died 15 Dec 1881 and is buried in the Zebulon Street Cemetery.

D. Baby unnamed born in 1835 and lived three days.

E. Bonita Milner was born ca 1834 (was 3 in 1837). She married in Pike County to Mr. Lazarus Parker while visiting with her brother Benjamin. They moved to Autauga County, Alabama. Her married life was brief for she died in January 1856, about a year after the wedding.

(2) Marriage of Willis Joshua Milner to Mary Ann Turner on 15 Jun 1837. Had two children:

A. Elizabeth Turner born 18 Nov 1840. Married Dr. Henry Martyn Caldwell in 1860. Wedding was in Florida at the house called "Roseland".

B. Willis Julian Milner born 3 May 1842 in Barnesville, Ga., died 17 Feb

GEORGIA BAPTISTS, Sketches - Early Members -
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MAXWELL, Thomas - born Sept 8, 1740, R. S. of Va., married Mary Pemberton in 1761. They were early settlers in Elbert Co., Ga. He was a Baptist minister, and died in Elbert county at ninety-seven years of age. Had issue. Their son, John, m. Miss _____Benson.

MELL, Patrick Hughes - born July 19, 1814, Liberty Co., Ga., to well-to-do parents, but due to unfortunate circumstances, his father lost all of his property when the subject was 13 years old, and died soon after. His mother lived only a short time, leaving the son a penniless orphan. Through hard work he nevertheless obtained a good education, determined to recover the social position lost by poverty. Partly on recommendation of Gov. George M. Troup, he was elected to the Professorship of Ancient Languages at Mercer U., where he remained for 13 years. In 1856 he was elected Prof. of Ancient Languages at U. of Ga., and in 1860, Dr. Mell was elected to the chair of Metaphysics and Ethics. During the War of Invasion Gov. Brown made a call for six months' troups, in response, Dr. Mell raised a company and was made Captain when the regiment was formed, he was elected Colonel, remaining in actual service for six months in spite of a rather feeble physique. Dr. Mell m/1 Lurene H. Cooper, June 22, 1840; m/2 Miss E. E. Cooper, Dec 24, 1861. Nine children by first marriage, six by second.

MERCER, Jesse, D. D. - born Halifax Co., N. C., Dec. 16, 1769, eldest child of eight children, five sons and three daughters, of Silas Mercer, who became a well known and beloved minister of the Baptist faith. The family moved to Wilkes Co., Ga., in the late 1700's. Jesse Mercer m/1 Sabrina Chivers, and m/2 Mrs. Nancy Simons, of Wilkes Co., Dec 11, 1827. He bacame an ordained minister in his 20th year and was one of the outstanding ministers. Mercer University was named in his honor.

MILNER, John - born Oct 17, 1775, Oglethorpe Co., Ga., son of John Milner (RS), and Elizabeth Godwin. In December 1795 he was married to Eunice Callaway. He became an ordained minister, founder of Sardis church, in Pike Co. Rev. Milner and wife were parents of 12 children. He died Jan. 31, 1841, and is buried in Zebulon Cemetery, Barnesville, Ga.

MILNER, John Holmes - born July 21, 1792, Wilkes Co., Ga., son of Pitt Milner and Apsyllah Holmes. He was married while quite young to Elizabeth D. Willis, of Wilkes Co., daughter of George Willis. John H. Milner and family lived in Jones; Monroe and Pike counties. He was licensed to preach by Rocky Creek church in Monroe county. They were parents of eleven children, four sons and seven daughters, who reached adulthood. Rev. Milner was a g-son of John Milner (RS) and Elizabeth Godwin.

MITCHELL, Archie B. - born Feb 23, 1833, Franklin Co., Ga., moved to Ala., as a young man, was ordanied at Lost Creek church in Ala., serving churches in Eastern Alabama and Western Georgia. He m/1 Nancy Mable, Dec. 1859, by whom there were four children. He m/2 Miss M. C. Colquitt, and they became the parents of four children.

by McCall

N.C., son of Georga

JESSE MILLER, b. ~~York Co., S. C.~~, 1750; came to Ga.; returned to S. C., where he d., Pendleton District, S. C., 1819. Served under Col. Greenberry Lee and received bounty grant of land in Washington Co., Ga., for his service. Mar. about 1780, Martha (called Patsey) Rose (dau. of WILLIAM ROSE, *Rev. Sol.* of ~~S.~~ C. and Ga., and his wife, Amy Langston).

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Children (mentioned in will):

1. Amy.
2. Susan.
3. Empson, mar. Elizabeth —.
4. Archibald.
5. William.
6. Rebecca.
7. Mary.
8. Margaret, mar. Michael Burtz (son of MICHAEL BURTZ, *Rev. Sol.*).
9. George.
10. James.
11. Howell.
12. Sarah, mar. — Bruce.

JACOB MILLER, b. England, 1752; d. Columbia Co., Ga., about 1820. Settled with his parents in Fredericksburg, Va., from there to N. C. and S. C. Served as a private in Capt. George Liddell's S. C. Militia; received land in Camden District, S. C., for his service. Later removed to Columbia, S. C. Mar. in S. C., CATHERINE MALOY.

Children:

1. Francis, b. S. C., 1773.
2. John.
3. Elizabeth, mar. James Bradley.
4. Flora, mar. Harry Skinner.
5. William, mar. Phyllis Ellis.
6. Jacob, Jr., mar. Martha Newsom.
7. Mary, mar. Samuel McNair.
8. Catherine, mar. Hugh Smith.
9. Nancy, mar. William Newsome.
10. Francis II, mar. Hannah Mercer.
11. John II, mar. Mary Dayon.
12. Margaret.

WILLIAM MILLER, b. N. C., April 8, 1759; d. Ware Co., Ga., Nov. 27, 1837. Served as private, N. C. Line, and in Ga. Militia. Mar. 1785, AMEY BARKER, d. Oct. 23, 1831; buried Kettle Creek Churchyard, Ware Co., Ga.; received pension at Jackson Co., Ga.

Children (known):

1. Mary Ann, b. S. C., 1790. Mar., as (1) wife, Daniel Blackburn.
2. Barbara, b. Bulloch Co., Ga. Mar., as (1) wife, Gen. Thomas Hillard, b. Appling Co., Ga., 1805.
3. Elsie, b. 1785, mar. Benjamin Fordham.

THOMAS MILLS, b. Rowan Co., N. C., 1740; d. Screven Co., Ga. Served as 2nd Lieut. 1st Regiment, 2nd Batt., Ga. Militia, 1776. Mar. 1760, LUCY —.

Children:

1. Hannah, mar. 1792, John Lewis Lanier (1762–1812).

(Other children not known).

JOHN MILNER, b. England, May 16, 1746; d. Wilkes Co., Ga., 1812. Served under Gen. Pickens and Gen. Sumpter in S. C. A captain; received bounty grant of land for his service, in Wilkes Co., Ga. Mar. 1765, ELIZABETH GODWIN, of Va., d. 1812.

Children:

1. Willis (1768–1790), mar. Sarah Ballard.
2. Pitt, mar. Apsyllah Holmes.
3. Simeon.
4. Benjamin.

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- *ID:* I01328
- *Name:* **John HOLMES , Sr.**
- *Sex:* M
- *Birth:* ABT 1727 in Ireland
- *Death:* 30 MAR 1784 in Savannah, Chatham County, Georgia
- *Reference Number:* 01328.PN
- *Note:*

The information about John Holmes, Sr. and his wife Susannah Poinset was obtained from the book "THE HILLS (Family name) OF WILKES COUNTY, GEORGIA"Volume 2, page 654-655

EXCURSUS: HOLMES -- PILKENTON

1a. JOHN HOLMES, Jr. son of John Homes, Sr., and Susannah Poinsett, b. in Virginia, died 1803, married ca. 1767 CHLOE BENTLEY, b. ca 1749 and died 1 daughter of WILLIAM BENTLEY, b. Virginia, died ca 1800, and Mary Elliott. So

James C. Holmes

1b. JAMES C. HOLMES, son of John Holmes, Jr. and Chloe Bentley, born Janua 24 1785 in Georgia, died April 20, 1861in Pike County, Georgia, married REBE POPE November 12, 1806 in Wilkes County, Georgia. She was born January 2 1788 and died June 1, 1844 in Pike County, Both were buried in the Jordon - Holmes Cemetery in Molena, Pike County, Georgia. Issue:

1c. Mary Jane HJolmes. (See below)
2c. Melinda (Elizabeth?) Holmes, born April 18, 1810, in Wilkes County, Georg died May 30, 1888 in Zebulon, Pike County, Georgia, married Wiley E, Mengha

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December 20, 1827, He wasborn January 9, 1805 and died June 26, 1891.
3c. Harriet N. Holmes, born ca. 1814, married Thomas J.? Hartsfield Novembe 1833. He was born ca. 1810

1c. MARY JANE HOLMES, daughter of James C. Holmes and Rebecca Pope, bo December 20, 1807 in Wilkes County, Georgia, died March 13, 1884, married JOHN T> JORDAN September 7, 1828. he was born October 14, 1806, died September 26, 1859, son of Benjamin Jordan. Their son:

1d. John Pope Jordan, born December 1, 1836, died July 1, 1862, married Na Miltilda Barker November 4, 1835. She was born November 4, 1835 and died August 19, 1903, daughter of John Thomas Barker, born ca. 1810, died ca. 1 married ---?--- January 12, 1834. Their daughter was Mary Rebecca Jordan w married Robert Monroe Piljenton above.

? "The Georgia Gazette" for April 1, 1784, page 2, carries this notice:
"Died, on Tuesday last, the Reverand John Holmes, who for some time officiat Rector of Christ Church. His remains were interred yesterday evening, attend the Most Ancient and Honorable Masons, and a great number of Respectable Citizens."

Note: Masons -- Solomon's Lodge No.1, F. &A.M., of Savannah, Georgia. Thes English Freemasons had sailed in the Goodship "Anne" with Bro. General Oglethorpe to settle this new colony of Georgia, landing at nearby Yamacraw on February 12, 1733. The first meeting of Freemasons in Georgia was at a makeshift outdoor Lodge held at the now extinct settlement of Sunbury, unde large, spreading oak tree. This informal assembly eventually developed into t official organization of the "Lodge at Savannah" on February 21, 1734. Solom Lodge was the only Lodge in Georgia from 1734 until 1785

"The Georgia Gazette", April 8, 1784 (from the University Of Georgia Libraries Microfilm Collection, "Georgia Gazette" January 30, 1784 - October 16, 1788, AN 13 S45 G42 r.1.)

The Following epitaph is designed for the Tomb Stone of the Reverand John Holmes, deceased:

"This Stone is sacred to the memory of the Reverand John Holmes, Late Rect Christ Church Parish and Chaplain of the Society of the Cincinnati. He was a N of Ireland at the commencement of the late War (Revolutionary War). He stoc forth a decided advocate of American freedom: In the course of that contest h suffered captivity with patience, remained steadfast in his principles, and saw glorious Revolution accomplished. As a Gentleman of exalted genius, extensiv erudition and strict integrity, he lived in general estimation and died March 30

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D. 1784, in Savannah (Georgia) Aetatis Suae Eli (? these figures are illegible) Universally lamented he exhibited a happy influence of political zeal without rancor; of wisdom without pedantry; of genuine wit with unbounded philanthr and of acknowledged eminence without a personal enemy, this character is dr by a friend to whom his many virtues were known."

Society for the Propagation of the Gospel, University of Georgia Libraries, Flim number: BV 2500 A6A1 ser. C r.16.

John Holmes had been sent to Georgia by the Society, the headquarters of wh were in London, England, arriving in Savannah on December 5, 1773. John Hc wrote two letters back to the Society dated 1774 and 1775, with details of his labors in the wilderness of Burke County, Georgia, a great Parish inhabited by 400 families, half of them Presbyterian, where what little knowledge of the se they had "acquired from a parcel of Illiterate Anabaptist preachers" and where murders by Indians had lately occurred.

"The American Revolution in Georgia 1763-1789", by Kenneth Coleman, Unive of Georgia Press, 1958, p. 223:

"Existing churches all had difficulty securing ministers in the immediate postw period. The Anglicans in Savannah are known to have had a rector for at least first three months of 1784 in the person of the Reverend John Holmes, an S.P missionary to St. George Parish before the Revolution and one of the two Whi Anglican clergymen in Georgia. After the death of Holmes, March 20, 1784, th are indications that there was no regular rector at Christ Chruch for about twc years."

"Georgia Revolutionary War"

British List of Traitors

Before the British recaptured Savannah in December 1778, the Revolutionary government compiled a list of those they considered Loyalists and threats to t cause. The royalists, once back in control, wasted little time in countering with of their own.

The first is one compiled by Loyalist Thomas Flyming [Fleming] and notarized 30, 1780. 23 of the 79 men [--denoted by *--] listed have biographies in the volume of Men of Mark in Georgia. Ten on the list had been or became chief executives of the new state of Georgia. Two were among Georgia's three sign the Declaration of Independence.

Georgia Department of Archives and History (Colonial Book DDD, page 260-B, affidavit):

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Georgia.

Personally appeared before me- The Honorable Anthony Stokes, Esquire, his Majesty's Chief Justice of the Province aforesaid - Thomas Flyming, of Saint Matthew's Parish in the province aforesaid Esqr. who being duly Sworn Saith, to his certain knowledge the following persons under written were all of them active in Rebellion against His Majesty in this Province .

William Obryan, Nehemiah Wade, *John Houston, *John Adam Truetlin, *Johr Glenn, Richard Wylly, *Lachlan McIntosh, *George Walton, *William Stephens *Joseph Habersham, *John Habersham, John McLuer, Raymond Demere, *Jol Milledge, *Joseph Clay, *Noble Wimberly Jones, Mordecai Shefftall, Levi Sheff [----] Delyon, a Jew; *Jonathan Bryan, Joseph Reynolds, John Spencer, *Johr Wereat, The REV. JOHN HOLMES, *Edward Langworthy, Rudolph Stroager, *William Gibbons, Philip Minis, Edward Davis, *Samuel Elbert, Benjamin Lloyd Robert Hamilton, Shefftall Shefftall, James Alexander, John Stirk, *Samuel Sti Henry Cuyler, *John Martin, Joseph Gibbons, Seth John Cuthbert, Matthew Gr William Holzendorff, Chas. Odingsell, Edward Howley, *Joseph Wood Senr., Jc Wood Junrr., a Doctor Wood, Daniel Roberts, Lewis Cope, Charles Cope, Willia Leconte, Charles Francis Chevalier, Fowler Brisbane, Shem Butler, Thomas St William Gibbons Junr., *Benjamin Andrews, *John Baker Senr., William Baker John Hardy, John Braddock, Samuel Miller, Joseph Woodruff, Charles Spencer Peter Tarling, John Winn, Samuel West, *Oliver Bowen, *Lyman Hall, Abrahar Revor, A Capt. & A Major Howell, Samuel Spencer, James Goldwire, Robert Hu Senr., Robert Hudson Junr., Samuel
Hudson, Edward Hudson, John Green, a Burton Tavernkeeper. Sworn before n . this 30th. day of May 1780
[Thos. Flyming A Stokes Jefferson County]

Contributed by:
J. G. (Jerry) Braddock Sr.
Charleston, SC. Author of Wooden Ships - Iron Men .

Note: In looking over the names on this list it appears that none of John Holm fellow "rebels" seem to be from the Wilkes County area. Therefore it is my OPINION that the John Holmes mentioned in the affidavitt above was probabl John Holmes, Sr. It has been shown by land records that John Holmes, the husband of Chloe Bentley, was already living in Wilkes County, Georgia by 17

Huguenot-L Archives

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"...;Rev. John Holmes, chaplain, Burke;..."

Note: Burke above is Burke County, Georgia. Burke County was created from Colonial St. George Parish.

SOME LIBERTY COUNTY HEAD RIGHT GRANTS 1789 - 1802

Land Court held at Riceborough Feb. first 1806

Present: James McCullough
Saml. Spencer
JAMES HOLMES

Note: James Holmes is James Washington Holmes son of John Holmes, Sr.

Holmes forum on Genealogy.com
Re: Susannah Poinsett
Posted by: carole melson (ID *****8551) Date: August 02, 2003 at 10:56:16
In Reply to: Re: Susannah Poinsett by Stephen Holmes
Message #5264

Dear Stephen:
I am still studying the Holmes Family (GA and S. C.) Genealogy, and I read yo information regarding Mary Paris (Mary Christie). Do you have any other genalogical information regarding Mary Paris/Christie? If you do, I would love see it. Thank you. Also, do you know where Rev. John Holmes, American Patri Chaplain of the Society of the Cincinatti, is buried? In the book, "Members of t Society of the Cincinnati", published by: Tobias A. Wright, Inc., Printers and Publishers, New York, 1929, John Holmes is listed as an original member from State of Georgia and was Brigade Chaplain. It is this John Holmes of which I s information. Thank you very much.
Sincerely,
Carole H. Melson.
Sincerely,
Carole H. Melson.

Fairfax County, Virginia

Fairfax Deed Book 1742-1744 pp. 122-127. just below the Plantation where William GREEN, the Father of William GREEN, had formerly seated; John HOLM by his Last Will & Testament dated 28 May 1698 among other things did bequ to his Dau. Mary HOLMES, the residue to his Son, John HOLMES but the Child died before coming of age to his Brother in Law, John HEDGES, upon whose

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deceased descended to Robert HEDGES the Eldest Son; Trust to ANN MOOLEY Margaret MOOLEY and Mary MOOLEY, the Daus. of William MOOLEY, late of Port Royal in the land of Jamaica; Mary intermarried with Alexander Maccar

Will of John Holmes Prince William County, Virginia . Will Book C, pp. 216-219

In ye name of God Amen. The second day of February and in ye year of our L 1732/3 I John Holms of Hamilton parish in Prince William Co. & colony of Virgi being sick and weak in body but of perfect mind and memory thanks be given to God therefore calling to mind ye mortality of my body & knowing yt it is apointed for all men once to die do nominate constitue appoin ordain this my last Will & Testament principally & first of all I give & recomme my precious & immortal Soul into ye hand of God yt gave it me and as for my I recommend it to ye Earth to be in a Christianlike & decent manner att ye discretion of my Executors (whome hereafter I shall appoint) nothing doubtin at ye general Resurrection I shall receive ye same again by ye mighty power God and as touching such worldly Estate wherewith it hath pleased God to ble me in this life (after my just debts and funeral expences are paid) I Give devi dispose of ye same in ye following manner and form Vizt.

Imp. I Give and Bequeath to my loving son James Holmes one hundred and fourteen acres of land (it being part of a greater tract of three hundred and fo acres lying upon ye branches of Luckey Run & Johns Branch) to him and ye h of his body lawfully begotten and for want of such heirs to my son Christophe Holmes and ye heirs of his body lawfully begotten and for want of such heirs t son Edmund Holmes and ye heirs of his body lawfully begotten and for want o such to ye next heir at Law, my son James to have his part land off (quantity quality alike) where he is now Seating.

Item. I give and bequeath to my loving son Christopher Holmes one hundred thirteen acres of land (it being part of ye above sd greather tract) to him and heirs of his body lawfully begotten and for want of such heirs to my son Edmu Holmes and ye heirs of his body lawfully begotten and for want of such heirs t son James Holmes and ye heirs of his body lawfully begotten and for want of to ye next heir att Law my son Christopher to have his part laid off (quantity and quality alike) where he now lives.

Item. I give and bequeath to my loving son Edmond Holmes (after ye decease my wife Mary Holmes) one hundred & thirteen acres of land it being ye remai of ye above sd remainder of ye above sd greater tract) to him and ye heirs of body lawfully begotten and for want of such heirs to my son James Holmes an heirs of his body lawfully begotten and for want of such heirs to my son Christopher Holmes and ye heirs of his body lawfully begotten and for want of such to next heir att Law my son Edmond to

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have ye planation where I now live and his land laid off convenient to it quant and quality alike.

Item. I give and bequeath to my loving wife Mary Holmes (whome I likewise appoint my only and sole Executrix of this my last will and Testament) all my personal Estate both within doors & without during her natural life and after her decease my will & desire is that my three sons before mentioned chc three men and they three men equally to divide it quantity and quality alike a near as possible amongst my three sons James Christopher & Edmund Holmes's and I do hereby utterly disallow revoke and disannul all a every other former Wills & Testaments Legacies Bequests and Executors by m any ways before this time will'd or named, and my will and desire is yt my Ex be not appraised Ratifying and Confirming this and no other to my last Will an Testament. In Witness whereof I have hereunto sett my hand and Seal ye da year first above written.

his Signum

John J Holmes (mark)

Sign'd Sealed publish'd and declared to be his last Will and Testament in ye presence of us Vizt
John Metcalfe
John Maden
John Whitledge

At a court held for Prince William County March 24, 1739.
This Will was presented in Court by Mary Holmes the Executrix therein named made oath thereto & the same being also proved by the oaths of the Witnesse it Subscribed was admitted to Record. And on the motion of
the said Executrix & her performing what if usual in such cases Certificate was Granted her for obtaining probate thereof in due form.

Test

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Know all men by these presents that we Mary Holmes Christopher Holmes & J Whitledge are held firmly bound unto Denis McCarty Gent. the Juatice in the commission of the peace of Prince William County for & in behalf & their_____ in the sum of two hundred pounds to be paid to the said Denis McCarty his Exeres. Admes. & Assigns to the which payment well & truly to be made we bind our selves & every of us our & every of our heirs Exeres. & Admes. jointly & severally firmly by these presents.

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10 yds Duroys
Two Jackets 1 pr breeches & 1 pr shooes & stockins & 1 hatt a parcel of old wearing cloaths
Two feather beds 2 pr blankets & 3 ruggs & 3 sheets
Two Bedsteads two Cords & Hides a parcel of feathers & bedcord
7 pewter dishes 12 plates, 17 pewter basons, 2 doz & 9 spoons,
1 pewter Tankard & small cup
1 hone & Razor and a Looking Glass
2 Narrow axes & 3 wedges, 2 hilling woes & 2 weeding hoes & grubbing Do
A parcel of old Iron knives & forks
A parcel of Carpenters & Cooper tools.
3 Iron potts & pott hooks & frying pan
2 Sifters & lin. wheel & 1 pr Tow Cards.
2 Horse bells, a parcel of Leather.
2 Chests & 4 earthen potts a tobacco box.
A parcel of old lumber

7 Horses & Mares
19 Head of Cattle
One Sow & piggs & six shoats.

The above Inventory taken by me ye Executrix of ye above named Estate.

mark her
Mary O Holmes

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Marriage 1 Susannah POINSET

Children

1. James Washington HOLMES b: ABT 1741 in Ireland
2. John Josiah HOLMES , Jr. b: ABT 1747 in Caroline County, Virginia
3. Benjamin HOLMES b: 23 AUG 1758 in Northampton, Massachusetts
4. William HOLMES I

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Descendant Register, Generation No. 1

1. **Susannah POINSET**. She married **John HOLMES , Sr.**. He was born ABT 1727 Ireland, and died 30 MAR 1784 in Savannah, Chatham County, Georgia.

Children of Susannah POINSET and John HOLMES , Sr. are:

+ 2 i. James Washington HOLMES was born ABT 1741 in Ireland.

+ 3 ii. John Josiah HOLMES , Jr. was born ABT 1747 in Caroline County, Virgin died ABT 1803 in Wilkes County, Georgia.

+ 4 iii. Benjamin HOLMES was born 23 AUG 1758 in Northampton, Massachuse died 1816 in Wilkes County, Georgia.

+ 5 iv. William HOLMES I.

Descendant Register, Generation No. 2

2. **James Washington HOLMES** (Susannah POINSET[1]) was born ABT 1741 in Ire married **Margaret THOMAS**. She was born ABT 1741, and died BEF 1814 in Lir County, Georgia.

Child of James Washington HOLMES and Margaret THOMAS is:

+ 6 i. Elisha Warren HOLMES , Sr. was born 6 JUL 1773 in Ireland, and died 25 1846 in Pike County, Mississippi.

3. **John Josiah HOLMES , Jr.** (Susannah POINSET[1]) was born ABT 1747 in Caroli County, Virginia, and died ABT 1803 in Wilkes County, Georgia. He married **Chloe BENTLEY** 1767 in South Carolina, daughter of William BENTLEY II and JANE. Sh born 1749 in South Carolina, and died 1813.

Children of John Josiah HOLMES , Jr. and Chloe BENTLEY are:

+ 7 i. Apsyllah HOLMES was born 12 SEP 1770 in North Carolina, and died 1854 in Henry County, Georgia.
+ 8 ii. Penelope HOLMES was born 1773, and died 26 APR 1854.
+ 9 iii. Josiah B. HOLMES was born 1778 in North Carolina, and died 1865 in Barnesville. Lamar County, Georgia.
+ 10 iv. Mary "Polly" HOLMES was born 1780, and died 1868.
11 v. John HOLMES III. He married Hannah THOMAS, daughter of Phillip TH
+ 12 vi. James C. HOLMES was born 24 JAN 1785 in Georgia, and died 20 APR 1861 Pike County, Georgia.
+ 13 vii. Elizabeth HOLMES was born 1788.
14 viii. Moses HOLMES.

4. **Benjamin HOLMES** (Susannah POINSET[1]) was born 23 AUG 1758 in Northamp Massachusetts, and died 1816 in Wilkes County, Georgia. He married **Elizabeth GARRETT** 30 JAN 1783. He married **Mary HUGHES** 14 JUN 1796.

Children of Benjamin HOLMES and Elizabeth GARRETT are:

15 i. Elizabeth HOLMES.
16 ii. John HOLMES was born 1783, and died 1790.
+ 17 iii. Margaret "Peggy" HOLMES was born 1785, and died 1823.
18 iv. Nancy HOLMES was born 1787, and died 1791.
19 v. Joseph HOLMES was born 1789.
20 vi. Benjamin HOLMES was born 1789.

Children of Benjamin HOLMES and Mary HUGHES are:

+ 21 i. Elizabeth HOLMES was born 18 APR 1797, and died 10 SEP 1836.
22 ii. William HOLMES.
+ 23 iii. Rebecca HOLMES was born 1803.

24 iv. Thomas HOLMES was born 1805.
25 v. Mary HOLMES was born 1807.
26 vi. Robert HOLMES.
27 vii. James HOLMES.
28 viii. Jonathan HOLMES.

5. **William HOLMES I** (Susannah POINSET[1]).

Child of William HOLMES I is:
29 i. William HOLMES II.

Descendant Register, Generation No. 3

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6. **Elisha Warren HOLMES , Sr.** (James Washington HOLMES[2], Susannah POINSE born 6 JUL 1773 in Ireland, and died 25 FEB 1846 in Pike County, Mississippi. H buried in Bennie Carr property East of Tylertown, Mississippi. He married **Sarah STOVAL** 1795 in Wilkes County, Georgia, daughter of Josiah STOVAL and Mary HICKS. She was born 28 DEC 1777 in Granville County, North Carolina, and die Pike County, Mississippi. She was buried in Bennie Carr property East of Tylerto Mississippi.

Children of Elisha Warren HOLMES , Sr. and Sarah "Sallie" STOVAL are:
30 i. John Coleman HOLMES was born 1795 in Lincoln County, Georgia.
31 ii. James HOLMES was born 19 MAR 1796 in Georgia.
32 iii. Virginia "Jenny" HOLMES was born 1797 in Georgia.
33 iv. Josiah HOLMES was born 1798 in Lincoln County, Georgia.
34 v. Benjamin HOLMES was born 1801 in Lincoln County, Georgia.
35 vi. Elisha Warren HOLMES , Jr. was born 1803 in Lincoln County, Georgia
36 vii. Cynthia HOLMES was born 12 DEC 1804 in Georgia.
37 viii. William Stoval HOLMES was born 12 NOV 1806 in Lincoln County, Gec
38 ix. Elizabeth S. "Betsy" HOLMES was born 11 FEB 1808 in Georgia.
39 x. Berry Ann HOLMES was born 1809 in Georgia.
40 xi. Jesse HOLMES was born 23 JAN 1820 in Mississippi.

7. **Apsyllah HOLMES** (John Josiah HOLMES , Jr.[2], Susannah POINSET[1]) was born 1770 in North Carolina, and died 22 MAY 1854 in Henry County, Georgia. She w in Parker Brown home, Hampton, Henry County, Georgia. She married **Pitt Will MILNER** 4 MAR 1790 in Wilkes County, Georgia, son of John MILNER , Sr. and E GODWIN. He was born 22 JUN 1769 in South Carolina, and died 21 JUL 1839 in County, Georgia. He was buried in Lamar County, Georgia.

Children of Apsyllah HOLMES and Pitt William MILNER are:

41 i. Martha MILNER was born 1791, and died 1791.

+ 42 ii. John Holmes MILNER was born 24 JUL 1792 in Wilkes County, Georgi died 9 MAR 1857 in Pike County, Georgia.

+ 43 iii. Mary MILNER was born 25 FEB 1795, and died in Jones County, Geor

+ 44 iv. Elizabeth MILNER was born 1797, and died 1859.

+ 45 v. Penelope MILNER was born 11 JUN 1800.

46 vi. Susannah Willis MILNER was born 1803, and died 1891. She married JOHNSON.

47 vii. Rebecca Ozburn MILNER was born 1806, and died 1826. She married GORMAN.

+ 48 viii. Pitt Wells MILNER was born 29 SEP 1808, and died 4 JAN 1844 in Ne Georgia, Alabama.

49 ix. Nancy Simmons MILNER was born 1815, and died 1822.

8. **Penelope HOLMES** (John Josiah HOLMES , Jr.[2], Susannah POINSET[1]) was borr and died 26 APR 1854. She married **Benjamin MILNER** 23 DEC 1793 in Wilkes Georgia, son of John MILNER , Sr. and Elizabeth GODWIN. He was born NOV 17 Wilkes County, Georgia, and died 14 NOV 1828 in Jones County, Georgia. He wa in Jones County, Georgia.

Children of Penelope HOLMES and Benjamin MILNER are:

+ 50 i. Lucy Pitt MILNER was born in Wilkes County, Georgia, and died 1830 Ellaville, Schley County, Georgia.

+ 51 ii. Nancy MILNER.

+ 52 iii. Martha MILNER was born 1793.

53 iv. Hulda MILNER. She married John CURETON 1823.

54 v. Mary Park MILNER was born 1809, and died 1878. She married Franc He was born 1780, and died 1849.

55 vi. Penelope MILNER. She married McCurdy SPARKS 1835.

56 vii. Lucinda MILNER. She married John W. G. SMITH.

9. **Josiah B. HOLMES** (John Josiah HOLMES , Jr.[2], Susannah POINSET[1]) was born North Carolina, and died 1865 in Barnesville. Lamar County, Georgia. He was bu Greenwood Church Cemetery, Barnesville, Lamar County, Georgia. He married Amelia **WILLIAMS**. She was buried in Greenwood Church Cemetery, Barnesville, Lama Georgia.

Children of Josiah B. HOLMES and Amelia WILLIAMS are:

57 i. Frances Ann HOLMES was born 1830. She married John C. Calhoun BLACKBURN, son of John Lowe BLACKBURN and Martha MILNER. He wa 1825, and died 1889.

58 ii. Caroline HOLMES. She married John Wesley ELDER.

59 iii. Shadrack HOLMES died 1862 in Died in the Civil War.

10. **Mary "Polly" HOLMES** (John Josiah HOLMES , Jr.[2], Susannah POINSET[1]) was 1780, and died 1868. She married **John B. PARKER** 15 JUL 1800 in Wilkes Co Georgia. She married **Elisha KENDALL** 1817. He was born 1790, and died 18

Child of Mary "Polly" HOLMES and Elisha KENDALL is:

+ 60 i. Mary KENDALL.

12. **James C. HOLMES** (John Josiah HOLMES , Jr.[2], Susannah POINSET[1]) was bor 1785 in Georgia, and died 20 APR 1861 in Pike County, Georgia. He married **Rebecca POPE** 12 NOV 1806 in Wilkes County, Georgia. She was born 29 JAN 1788, an JUN 1844 in Pike County, Georgia. She was buried in Molena. Pike County, Gec

Children of James C. HOLMES and Rebecca POPE are:

+ 61 i. Mary Jane HOLMES was born 20 DEC 1807 in Wilkes County, Georgia died 13 MAR 1884.

62 ii. Melinda Elizabeth? HOLMES was born 18 APR 1810 in Wilkes County, and died 30 MAY 1888 in Zebulon, Pike County, Georgia.

63 iii. Harriet N. HOLMES was born ABT 1814.

13. **Elizabeth HOLMES** (John Josiah HOLMES , Jr.[2], Susannah POINSET[1]) was bo She married **Warren HARTSFIELD** 1805.

Child of Elizabeth HOLMES and Warren HARTSFIELD is:

64 i. Benjamin Milner HARTSFIELD. He married Bethene DANIEL.

17. **Margaret "Peggy" HOLMES** (Benjamin HOLMES[2], Susannah POINSET[1]) was 1785, and died 1823. She married **Arnold ZELLNER** 25 AUG 1811 in Wilkes C Georgia, son of George Peter ZELLNER , Sr. and Mary CAPEHART. He was born Bertie County, North Carolina.

Children of Margaret "Peggy" HOLMES and Arnold ZELLNER are:

65 i. Henry ZELLNER.

66 ii. Marion ZELLNER.

67 iii. Francis ZELLNER.

21. **Elizabeth HOLMES** (Benjamin HOLMES[2], Susannah POINSET[1]) was born 18 A and died 10 SEP 1836. She married **George W. FULLER** 11 DEC 1817.

Child of Elizabeth HOLMES and George W. FULLER is:

68 i. Mary FULLER was born 28 OCT 1818.

23. **Rebecca HOLMES** (Benjamin HOLMES[2], Susannah POINSET[1]) was born 1803 married **John COOPER** 24 DEC 1793 in Wilkes County, Georgia. She married **ZELLNER** 7 JUN 1819 in Wilkes County, Georgia, son of George Peter ZELLNEF Mary CAPEHART. He was born 24 SEP 1798 in Bertie County, North Carolina, a ABT 1876 in Monroe County, Georgia.

Children of Rebecca HOLMES and Andrew ZELLNER are:

+ 69 i. Benjamin Holmes ZELLNER.

70 ii. Francis ZELLNER.

71 iii. John William ZELLNER.

72 iv. Mary Rebecca ZELLNER.

73 v. Andrew Burton ZELLNER.

74 vi. George ZELLNER.

42. **John Holmes MILNER** (Apsyllah HOLMES[3], John Josiah HOLMES , Jr.[2], Susan POINSET[1]) was born 24 JUL 1792 in Wilkes County, Georgia, and died 9 MAR 1 Pike County, Georgia. He was buried in Milner Cemetery, Concord, Pike County He married **Elizabeth Dabney WILLIS** 14 APR 1814 in Wilkes County, Georgi daughter of George WILLIS and Susannah BAKER. She was born 13 AUG 1796 County, Georgia, and died 24 JUN 1885 in Pike County, Georgia. She was buri Milner Cemetery, Concord, Pike County, Georgia.

Children of John Holmes MILNER and Elizabeth Dabney WILLIS are:

75 i. Susan Willis MILNER was born 1815, and died 1883. She married Ja Madison PUTNAM 1831. He was born 1810, and died 1880.

76 ii. George Willis MILNER was born 10 AUG 1817, and died 2 APR 1900. married Mary BOULAND 12 SEP 1839, daughter of William BOULANI Hannah SCOTT. She was born 28 DEC 1823, and died 15 JAN 1898.

77 iii. Pitt Willis MILNER was born 1819, and died 1893. He married Sophi WRIGHT 1843, daughter of John WRIGHT. She was born 1827.

78 iv. Apsilla Ann MILNER was born 1822. She married Solomon G. BECKH

79 v. Elizabeth Sims MILNER was born 1824. She married John J. EPPING He was born 1825, and died 1850. She married James F. MCLEOD 1

+ 80 vi. Eliza Penelope MILNER was born 1826 in Pike County, Georgia, and 1908.

81 vii. Martha Rowena MILNER was born 1829. She married Richard S. RA\ 1854, son of David R. RAVENS.

+ 82 viii. Jonathan James MILNER was born 10 JAN 1831 in Pike County, Geo died 3 JUN 1910 in Pike County, Georgia.

+ 83 ix. Richard Willis MILNER was born 1833, and died 1862.

84 x. Mary Elenon Jane MILNER was born 1835, and died 1903. She marr Berrien F. REID 1856. He was born 1833, and died 1884.

85 xi. Rebecca Amaretta Flovilla MILNER was born 1837, and died 1907. S married Austin Dabney HARRIS 1854, son of William HARRIS and C STRICKLAND. He was born 1835, and died 1881.

43. **Mary MILNER** (Apsyllah HOLMES[3], John Josiah HOLMES , Jr.[2], Susannah POI was born 25 FEB 1795, and died in Jones County, Georgia. She married **Joshu Sanford CALLAWAY , Sr.** 12 FEB 1811 in Wilkes County, Georgia. He was bo 1768 in Wilkes County, Georgia, and died 29 MAY 1854 in Jonesboro, Clayton Georgia.

Children of Mary MILNER and Joshua Sanford CALLAWAY , Sr. are:

86 i. John Holmes CALLAWAY. He married Sarah DOUGLAS.

87 ii. James Madison CALLAWAY. He married Ann HASELTINE.

88 iii. Joshua Sanford CALLAWAY , JR. He married Melissa JORDON.

+ 89 iv. Benita Arnold CALLAWAY.

90 v. Apsyllah Anne CALLAWAY. She married Zachariah Edward HARMAN.

91 vi. Pitt Milner CALLAWAY. He married Ellen Wylie JORDON. He married M MCLANG.

44. **Elizabeth MILNER** (Apsyllah HOLMES[3], John Josiah HOLMES , Jr.[2], Susannah POINSET[1]) was born 1797, and died 1859. She married **William SIMS** 2 MAR Jones County, Georgia. He was born 15 DEC 1792 in Oglethorpe County, Geor

Child of Elizabeth MILNER and William SIMS is:

+ 92 i. Apsilla Milner SIMS was born 9 DEC 1819 in Jones County, Georgia, a 10 JAN 1905 in Rouston, Louisiana.

45. **Penelope MILNER** (Apsyllah HOLMES[3], John Josiah HOLMES , Jr.[2], Susannah POINSET[1]) was born 11 JUN 1800. She married **Parker EASON** 19 NOV 1818 County, Georgia. He was born 22 FEB 1798, and died 22 JAN 1875. He was bu Eason Milner Brown Cemetery, Henry County, Georgia.

Child of Penelope MILNER and Parker EASON is:

93 i. Eliza P. EASON was born 24 SEP 1819. She married L. T. DOYAL.

48. **Pitt Wells MILNER** (Apsyllah HOLMES[3], John Josiah HOLMES , Jr.[2], Susannah POINSET[1]) was born 29 SEP 1808, and died 4 JAN 1844 in New Georgia, Alaba married **Adaline Mariah PUTNAM** 20 SEP 1827 in Monroe County, Georgia. S born 18 JUL 1809.

Children of Pitt Wells MILNER and Adaline Mariah PUTNAM are:

94 i. Infant MILNER was born 11 OCT 1828.

+ 95 ii. John H. MILNER was born 1830.

96 iii. Sophronia P. MILNER was born 3 NOV 1831.

97 iv. Mary Elizabeth MILNER was born 7 AUG 1833.
98 v. Pitt Wilson MILNER was born 18 FEB 1836.
99 vi. James W. MILNER was born 18 FEB 1836.
100 vii. William Sims MILNER was born 16 JUN 1839.
101 viii. Willis Jonathan MILNER was born 14 MAY 1841.
102 ix. Susan H. A. MILNER was born 20 AUG 1843.

50. **Lucy Pitt MILNER** (Penelope HOLMES[3], John Josiah HOLMES , Jr.[2], Susannah POINSET[1]) was born in Wilkes County, Georgia, and died 1830 in Ellaville, Sch County, Georgia. She married **Henry Hobson LUMPKIN** 17 AUG 1813 in Ogle County, Georgia. He was born 23 SEP 1790 in Oglethorpe County, Georgia, an AUG 1856 in Sumpter County, Georgia.

Child of Lucy Pitt MILNER and Henry Hobson LUMPKIN is:
103 i. Josephine V. LUMPKIN. She married Heyden COE.

51. **Nancy MILNER** (Penelope HOLMES[3], John Josiah HOLMES , Jr.[2], Susannah PC She married **John Tripp POPE** 1817.

Child of Nancy MILNER and John Tripp POPE is:
+ 104 i. Penelope POPE.

52. **Martha MILNER** (Penelope HOLMES[3], John Josiah HOLMES , Jr.[2], Susannah P was born 1793. She married **John Lowe BLACKBURN**. He was born 1792, an 1856. She married **John Lowe BLACKBURN** 1820. He was born 1792, and di

Child of Martha MILNER and John Lowe BLACKBURN is:
105 i. John C. Calhoun BLACKBURN was born 1825, and died 1889. He marr Frances Ann HOLMES, daughter of Josiah B. HOLMES and Amelia WIL She was born 1830.

60. **Mary KENDALL** (Mary "Polly" HOLMES[3], John Josiah HOLMES , Jr.[2], Susannah POINSET[1]). She married **James Madison ROBERTSON**.

Children of Mary KENDALL and James Madison ROBERTSON are:

+ 106 i. Martha ROBERTSON.

107 ii. Mary Elizabeth ROBERTSON.

61. **Mary Jane HOLMES** (James C. HOLMES[3], John Josiah HOLMES , Jr.[2], Susanna POINSET[1]) was born 20 DEC 1807 in Wilkes County, Georgia, and died 13 MAR 1884. She married **John T. JORDON** 7 SEP 1828. He was born 14 OCT 1806, and died 24 Sep 1859.

Child of Mary Jane HOLMES and John T. JORDON is:

+ 108 i. John Pope JORDON was born 1 DEC 1836, and died 1 JUL 1862.

69. **Benjamin Holmes ZELLNER** (Rebecca HOLMES[3], Benjamin HOLMES[2], Susan POINSET[1]).

Child of Benjamin Holmes ZELLNER is:

109 i. Andrew J. ZELLNER.

Descendant Register, Generation No. 5

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80. **Eliza Penelope MILNER** (John Holmes MILNER[4], Apsyllah HOLMES[3], John Jos HOLMES , Jr.[2], Susannah POINSET[1]) was born 1826 in Pike County, Georgia, a 1908. She married **Jesse Mercer WOOD** 1 SEP 1846 in Pike County, Georgia, James WOOD and Elizabeth POWER. He was born 14 OCT 1815 in Elbert Count Georgia, and died 26 APR 1892 in Jonesboro, Clayton County, Georgia. He was Barnesville, Lamar County, Georgia.

Children of Eliza Penelope MILNER and Jesse Mercer WOOD are:

+ 110 i. Edward Willis WOOD was born 12 JAN 1862 in Atlanta, Fulton Count Georgia, and died 9 OCT 1922 in Flat Rock, Muscogee County, Gero

111 ii. Jessie WOOD.

112 iii. Cora WOOD.

82. **Jonathan James MILNER** (John Holmes MILNER[4], Apsyllah HOLMES[3], John J HOLMES , Jr.[2], Susannah POINSET[1]) was born 10 JAN 1831 in Pike County, Ge and died 3 JUN 1910 in Pike County, Georgia. He was buried in Milner Cemeter Concord, Pike County, Georgia. He married **Nancy Catherine BOULAND** 2 JA Pike County, Georgia, daughter of William BOULAND and Hannah SCOTT. She 1834, and died 1918 in Pike County, Georgia. She was buried in Milner Cemete Concord, Pike County, Georgia.

Children of Jonathan James MILNER and Nancy Catherine BOULAND are:

113 i. Richard Bouland MILNER was born 1853.
114 ii. William Judson MILNER was born 1855.
115 iii. George Boardman MILNER was born 1857.
116 iv. Robert Augustus MILNER was born 1858.
+ 117 v. Mary H. O. MILNER was born 1860 in Pike County, Georgia, and di
118 vi. Sarah Elizabeth MILNER was born 1862.
119 vii. Effie Eunice MILNER was born 1864.
120 viii. Pitt Holmes MILNER was born 1866.
121 ix. John Willis MILNER was born 1868.
122 x. Pope Redding MILNER was born 1870.
123 xi. Jesse Wood MILNER was born 1871.
124 xii. Edward Lee MILNER was born 1873.

83. **Richard Willis MILNER** (John Holmes MILNER[4], Apsyllah HOLMES[3], John Josi HOLMES , Jr.[2], Susannah POINSET[1]) was born 1833, and died 1862. He marrie **Elizabeth RAVENS** 1855, daughter of David R. RAVANS and Nancy STEWART born 1835, and died 1907.

Child of Richard Willis MILNER and Sarah Elizabeth RAVENS is:

+ 125 i. John Holmes MILNER , Sr..

89. **Benita Arnold CALLAWAY** (Mary MILNER[4], Apsyllah HOLMES[3], John Josiah H Jr.[2], Susannah POINSET[1]). She married **James LLOYD HEAD**. He was born 3 1808 in PUTMAN CO., Georgia, and died 11 AUG 1863 in PIKE CO., Georgia.

Child of Benita Arnold CALLAWAY and James LLOYD HEAD is:

+ 126 i. James Joshua HEAD was born 16 MAR 1839 in Henry County, Georgi
died 14 JAN 1927 in Tampa, Florida.

92. **Apsilla Milner SIMS** (Elizabeth MILNER[4], Apsyllah HOLMES[3], John Josiah HOl
Jr.[2], Susannah POINSET[1]) was born 9 DEC 1819 in Jones County, Georgia, anc
JAN 1905 in Rouston, Louisiana. She married **Isam Josiah SIMS** 25 OCT 183
County, Georgia. He was born 18 FEB 1809 in Oglethorpe County, Georgia, anc
AUG 1874 in Vernon, Louisiana.

Child of Apsilla Milner SIMS and Isam Josiah SIMS is:
+ 127 i. Sarah Apsilla SIMS was born 28 JUN 1851 in MONROE CO., Georgia,
19 MAY 1934 in ANSLEY, LOUISIANA.

95. **John H. MILNER** (Pitt Wells MILNER[4], Apsyllah HOLMES[3], John Josiah HOLME
Susannah POINSET[1]) was born 1830. He married **Bethany CASTLEBERRY**.

Child of John H. MILNER and Bethany CASTLEBERRY is:
+ 128 i. Pitt William James MILNER was born in Georgia.

104. **Penelope POPE** (Nancy MILNER[4], Penelope HOLMES[3], John Josiah HOLMES
Susannah POINSET[1]). She married **John WADSWRTH**.

Child of Penelope POPE and John WADSWRTH is:
+ 129 i. Lucy WADSWRTH.

106. **Martha ROBERTSON** (Mary KENDALL[4], Mary "Polly" HOLMES[3], John Josiah H
Jr.[2], Susannah POINSET[1]). She married **John Henry WILLIAMS**.

Child of Martha ROBERTSON and John Henry WILLIAMS is:
130 i. Mary L. WILLIAMS. She married TAYLOR.

108. **John Pope JORDON** (Mary Jane HOLMES[4], James C. HOLMES[3], John Josiah
Jr.[2], Susannah POINSET[1]) was born 1 DEC 1836, and died 1 JUL 1862. He m

Nancy Matilda BARKER, daughter of John Thomas BARKER. She was born 4 1835, and died 19 AUG 1903.

Child of John Pope JORDON and Nancy Matilda BARKER is:

131 i. Mary Rebecca JORDON. She married Robert Monroe PILKENTON 11 Oct 1874, son of Robert PILKENTON and Bersheba RIGGINS. He was bor 1854, and died 7 SEP 1924.

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110. **Edward Willis WOOD** (Eliza Penelope MILNER[5], John Holmes MILNER[4], Aps HOLMES[3], John Josiah HOLMES , Jr.[2], Susannah POINSET[1]) was born 12 JAN Atlanta, Fulton County, Georgia, and died 9 OCT 1922 in Flat Rock, Muscogee Gerogia. He married **Alice Rogers MORSE** 1880, daughter of Leander Samu and Mary Hannah BUTLER. She was born 8 APR 1862 in Forsyth, Monroe Cou Georgia, and died 23 JUL 1911 in Georgia.

Children of Edward Willis WOOD and Alice Rogers MORSE are:

+ 132 i. Minnie Lee WOOD was born 2 JAN 1882 in Macon, Bibb County, Ge and died 27 MAR 1959 in Columbus, Muscogee County, Georgia.

133 ii. Alice WOOD. She married W. O. RUFFIN.

134 iii. E. Day WOOD.

135 iv. Ruth WOOD. She married M. M. BOWDEN.

117. **Mary H. O. MILNER** (Jonathan James MILNER[5], John Holmes MILNER[4], Aps HOLMES[3], John Josiah HOLMES , Jr.[2], Susannah POINSET[1]) was born 1860 ir County, Georgia, and died 1949. She married **John Calhoun IRVIN** 1880, s William Pinkney IRVIN and Nancy Orena WILLIAMS. He was born 1852 in Pik Georgia, and died 1933.

Children of Mary H. O. MILNER and John Calhoun IRVIN are:

136 i. Eugine Milner IRVIN was born 1882, and died 1976.

137 ii. William Clarence IRVIN was born 1884, and died 1965.

138 iii. James Roger IRVIN was born 1886, and died 1949.

139 iv. Chloe IRVIN was born 1888, and died 1961.
140 v. Rochelle IRVIN was born 1890, and died 1986.
141 vi. Dorthy Lucille IRVIN was born 1892, and died 1986.
142 vii. John Calhoun IRVIN was born 1894, and died 1974.
143 viii. Leon Percy IRVIN was born 1896.
144 ix. Malcolm Hewitt IRVIN was born 1898, and died 1935.
145 x. Mary C. IRVIN was born 1901, and died 1968.
146 xi. Ben Hill IRVIN was born 1903, and died 1958.

125. **John Holmes MILNER , Sr.** (Richard Willis MILNER[5], John Holmes MILNER[4], HOLMES[3], John Josiah HOLMES , Jr.[2], Susannah POINSET[1]).

Child of John Holmes MILNER , Sr. is:
+ 147 i. John Holmes MILNER , Jr..

126. **James Joshua HEAD** (Benita Arnold CALLAWAY[5], Mary MILNER[4], Apsyllah H John Josiah HOLMES , Jr.[2], Susannah POINSET[1]) was born 16 MAR 1839 in H County, Georgia, and died 14 JAN 1927 in Tampa, Florida. He married **Lucinc Florence HOLMES** 20 APR 1864 in Houston County, Georgia. She was born (1841 in Perry, Georgia, and died 16 APR 1921 in Tampa, Florida.

Child of James Joshua HEAD and Lucinda Florence HOLMES is:
+ 148 i. Pearla Maude HEAD was born 20 MAR 1875 in HEADLAND, ALABAM. died 12 JAN 1942 in FARMERVILLE, LOUISIANA.

127. **Sarah Apsilla SIMS** (Apsilla Milner SIMS[5], Elizabeth MILNER[4], Apsyllah HOL John Josiah HOLMES , Jr.[2], Susannah POINSET[1]) was born 28 JUN 1851 in M(CO., Georgia, and died 19 MAY 1934 in ANSLEY, LOUISIANA. She married **Ch Washington ALLEN** 12 NOV 1868 in Vernon, LOUISIANA. He was born 10 JU in Griffin, Georgia, and died 11 DEC 1907 in ANSLEY, LOUISIANA.

Child of Sarah Apsilla SIMS and Charles Washington ALLEN is:
+ 149 i. Mattie Ola ALLEN was born 5 OCT 1870 in Vernon, LOUISIANA, and JAN 1938 in ANSLEY, LOUISIANA.

128. **Pitt William James MILNER** (John H. MILNER[5], Pitt Wells MILNER[4], Apsylla HOLMES[3], John Josiah HOLMES , Jr.[2], Susannah POINSET[1]) was born in Geor married **Martha Jane COOPER**.

Child of Pitt William James MILNER and Martha Jane COOPER is:

150 i. Ed Carnes MILNER. He married Sarah Rebecca HORN.

129. **Lucy WADSWRTH** (Penelope POPE[5], Nancy MILNER[4], Penelope HOLMES[3], Jo HOLMES , Jr.[2], Susannah POINSET[1]). She married **George NOBLE**.

Child of Lucy WADSWRTH and George NOBLE is:

151 i. Grace NOBLE was born in Rome, Floyd County, Georgia. She marriec ROBINSON.

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- *ID:* I01329
- *Name:* **Susannah POINSET**
- *Sex:* F
- *Note:*

By: Paul R. Sarrett, Jr.
prsjr@aol.com

SOME "Early" SOUTH CAROLINA MARRIAGE RECORDS: 1641-1799. I have no found a single source for marriage records prior to 1800 in South Carolina, so have started one of my own. Any additions or correction
to this file would be appreciated. E-Mail me at prsjr@aol.com

This is a "Comma-delimited" ASCII data file for some 4,756 marriages in Sout Carolina. The first file is indexed" by last name of "Groom", giving Marriage da location and "Source Information". Second file is "Indexed" by "Brides" last na (SC_B1800.ZIP)

South Carolina marriage records have been difficult to obtain. Until 1911 ther were no legal requirements for keeping records in South Carolina, as in other states. Some SC records were gathered by HUNTING FOR BEARS, INC. Which taken from newspapers, church records, pension applications, and other sourc where marriage records could be found. Many thanks to Dorothy Ledbetter Mu and Nicholas Russell Murray,
Hunting For Bears, Inc., P.O. Box 25593, Salt Lake City, Utah 84125.

The following 4,756 marriage records, are from 1641 to 1799 only.

HOLMES, ISAAC married , PERRONEAU, ELIZABETH , Jan ,19 , 1724 ,NC & SC

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Records , SC
HOLMES, Isaac married , PERRONEAU, Elizabeth , Jan ,19 , 1724 ,Charleston

IGI Individual Record FamilySearch™ International Genealogical Index v5.0
British Isles

Susan Pouncett
Female
Event(s):
Birth: About 1699 Of, North Cadbury, Somerset, England
Christening:
Death:
Burial:
Marriages:
Spouse: Edward Atkins
Marriage:
13 OCT 1720 North Cadbury, Somerset, England

IGI Individual Record FamilySearch™ International Genealogical Index v5.0
North America

SUSANNAH POINSET
Female
Event(s):
Birth: 1709 Charleston, Charleston, South Carolina
Christening:
Death:
Burial:
Parents:
Father: JOEL POINSET Family
Mother: SUSANNAH VARIN

IGI Individual Record FamilySearch™ International Genealogical Index v5.0
North America

SUSANAH POINSET
Female
Event(s):
Birth: 23 APR 1744 Saint Philip, Charleston, Charleston, South Carolina
Christening:
Death:
Burial:
Parents:
Father: ELISHA POINSET Family
Mother: CATHERINE

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SUSANNA POINSET
Female
Event(s):
Birth:
Christening:
Death:
Burial:
Marriages:
Spouse: ISAAC HOLMES Family
Marriage: 28 JAN 1726 Saint Philip, Charleston, Charleston, South Carolina
Messages:

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Marriage 1 John HOLMES , Sr. b: ABT 1727 in Ireland

Children

1. James Washington HOLMES b: ABT 1741 in Ireland
2. John Josiah HOLMES , Jr. b: ABT 1747 in Caroline County, Virginia
3. Benjamin HOLMES b: 23 AUG 1758 in Northampton, Massachusetts
4. William HOLMES I

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1 John T. JORDON b: 14 OCT 1806 d: 26 SEP 1859
+ Mary Jane HOLMES b: 20 DEC 1807 d: 13 MAR 1884
2 John Pope JORDON b: 1 DEC 1836 d: 1 JUL 1862
+ Nancy Matilda BARKER b: 4 NOV 1835 d: 19 AUG 1903
3 Mary Rebecca JORDON
+ Robert Monroe PILKENTON b: 26 MAY 1854 d: 7 SEP 1924

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PERSONAL INFORMATION

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John T Jordon

Born: 14 Oct 1806
[city], [county], Georgia, USA

Died: 26 Sep 1859
[city], Pike, Georgia, USA

View person's info

Benjamin Jorda

Matthew Jorda

Alternates

PAGE TOOLS

- View person's info
- Start a new tree with John T Jordon

Family | **Source Records** | **Family Facts**

Family Groups

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Spouse

Mary Jane Holmes
Born: 20 Dec 1807 in [city], Wilkes, Georgia, USA
Died: 13 Mar 1884

Marriage: 7 Sep 1828 View Info

Children	Sex	Birth
Anna Eliza Jordan	F	5 Dec 1842 in [city], Pike, Georgia, USA

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Entries: 48322 **Updated:** 2004-12-04 02:37:19 UTC (Sat)

Contact: Nancy A. Daniels

DANIELCZUK/SANOK researchers: This is a work in progress. I am hoping you ca additional information on these lines. Please forward any facts, events, dates or st may have about any of our common ancestors. I would love to learn as much as combine with this file!

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- *ID:* I8017
- *Name:* **Mary Jane HOLMES**
- *Given Name:* Mary Jane
- *Surname:* HOLMES
- *Sex:* F
- *Birth:* 20 Dec 1807 in Wilkes CO, Georgia, USA [1]
- *Death:* 13 Mar 1884 [1]
- *Reference Number:* 8017
- *Change Date:* 26 Jan 2004 at 18:15

Father: James C. HOLMES b: 24 Jan 1785 in Georgia, USA
Mother: Rebecca POPE

Marriage 1 John T. JORDON

- *Change Date:* 26 Jan 2004

Children

1. John Pope JORDON b: 1 Dec 1836

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James C Holmes

Born: 24 Jan 1785 Wilkes, [county], Georgia, USA

Died: 20 Apr 1861 [city], Pike, Georgia, USA

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John Holmes

Chloe Bentley

John Holmes

Susannah Poin

William Bently

Mary Elliot

Alternates

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- View person's info
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Spouse

Rebecca Pope

Born: 29 Jan 1788 in Wilkes, [county], Georgia, USA

Died: 1 Jun 1844 in [city], Pike, Georgia, USA

Marriage: 12 Nov 1806 in [city], Wilkes, Georgia, USA View Info

Children	Sex	Birth
Mary Jane Holmes	F	20 Dec 1807 in [city], Wilkes, Georgia, USA
Malinda M Holmes	F	18 Apr 1810 in [city], Wilkes, Georgia, USA
Harriet N	F	abt 1814

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John Holmes
Born: 1747
Caroline, [county], Virginia, USA
Died: 1806
Wilkes, [county], Georgia, USA
View person's info

John Holmes

Susannah Poins

Alternates

PAGE TOOLS

- View person's info
- Start a new tree with John Holmes

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Family Groups

View alternate family members

Spouse

Chloe Bentley
Born: 1749 in [city], Wilkes, Georgia, USA
Died: 1813 in Wilkes, [county], Georgia, USA

Marriage: 1767 in [city], Wilkes, Georgia, USA View Info

Children	Sex	Birth
Moses Holmes	M	
Apsilla Holmes	F	12 Sep 1770 in [city], [county], Georgia, USA
Penelope Holmes	F	12 Sep 1770 in [city], Jones, Georgia, USA
Mary (Polly) ? Holmes	F	1780

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John Holmes	M	1782 in [city], [county], Georgia, USA
James C Holmes	M	24 Jan 1785 in Wilkes, [county], Georgia, USA
Elizabeth Holmes	F	1788 in [city], Wilkes, Georgia, USA
Josiah Holmes	M	1788 in [city], [county], North Carolina, USA

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Susannah Poinset

Born:

Died:

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Spouse

John Holmes

Born: abt 1727 in [city], [parish], [county], Ireland

Died: 30 Mar 1784 in Savannah, Chatham, Georgia, USA

Marriage:

Children	Sex	Birth
William Holmes	M	
John Holmes	M	abt 1744 in Morgan, [county], Georgia, USA
John Holmes	M	1747 in Caroline, [county], Virginia, USA
Benjamin Holmes	M	23 Aug 1758 in Collodvian, [county], Georgia, USA

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Chloe Bentley

Born: 1749
[city], Wilkes, Georgia, USA

Died: 1813
Wilkes, [county], Georgia, USA

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William Bently

Mary Elliot

William W Ben

Elizabeth Ashle

Alternates

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Spouse

John Holmes
Born: 1747 in Caroline, [county], Virginia, USA
Died: 1806 in Wilkes, [county], Georgia, USA

Marriage: 23 Dec 1793 in [city], Wilkes, Georgia, USA View Info

Children	Sex	Birth
Moses Holmes	M	
Apsilla Holmes	F	12 Sep 1770 in [city], [county], Georgia, USA
Penelope Holmes	F	12 Sep 1770 in [city], Jones, Georgia, USA
Mary Polly	F	1780

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James C Holmes	M	24 Jan 1785 in Wilkes, [county], Georgia, USA
Elizabeth Holmes	F	1788 in [city], Wilkes, Georgia, USA
Josiah Holmes	M	1788 in [city], [county], North Carolina, USA

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PERSONAL INFORMATION

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William Bently

Born: 1729
Fairfax, [county], Virginia, USA

Died: 1802
De Kalb, [county], Georgia, USA

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William W Bent

John Bentley

Sarah Farlee

Elizabeth Ashle

Living Ashley

Living Goldasic

Alternates

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View alternate family members

Spouse

Mary Elliot
Born: 1730 in Fairfax, [county], Virginia, USA
Died: 1843

Marriage: 1748 in [city], [county], South Carolina, USA View Info

Children	Sex	Birth
Jesse Bentley	M	
Catherine	F	
Chloe Bentley	F	1749 in [city], Wilkes, Georgia, USA
William Bentley	M	1749 in [city], Onslow, North Carolina, USA
Catherine Bently	F	1749

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Died: 1802
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Georgia, USA

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William W Bent

Elizabeth Ashley

John Bentley

Sarah Fardee

Living Ashley

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3 Alternates

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Start a new tree with William Bentley

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Spouse

Mary Elliot
Born: 1730 in Fairfax, [county], Virginia, USA
Died: 1803

Marriage: 1748 in [city], [county], South Carolina, USA View Info

Children	Sex	Birth
Jesse Bentley	M	
Catherine	F	
Chloe Bentley	F	1749 in [city], Wilkes, Georgia, USA
William Bentley	M	1749 in [city], Onslow, North Carolina, USA
Catherine Bently	F	1749

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Susannah Bentley	F	abt 1757
John Bentley	M	1759 in [city], Wilkes, Georgia, USA
James Bentley	M	abt 1760
Balaam Bentley	M	abt 1763 in Wilkes, [county], Georgia, USA
Lewis Bentley	M	abt 1764 in [city], [county], Georgia, USA
Boy Bentley	M	1768
Catherine Bentley	F	abt 1772
Joshua Bentley	M	abt 1775 in Wilkes, [county], Georgia, USA

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Mary Elliot

Born: 1730
Fairfax, [county], Virginia, USA

Died: 1843

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William Bently

Born: 1729 in Fairfax, [county], Virginia, USA
Died: 1802 in De Kalb, [county], Georgia, USA

Marriage: 1748 in [city], [county], South Carolina, USA View Info

Children	Sex	Birth
Jesse Bentley	M	
Catherine	F	
William Bentley	M	1749 in [city], Onslow, North Carolina, USA
Catherine Bently	F	1749
Chloe Bentley	F	1749 in [city], Wilkes, Georgia, USA

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Susannah Bentley	F	abt 1757
John Bentley	M	1759 in [city], Wilkes, Georgia, USA
James Bentley	M	abt 1760
Balaam Bentley	M	abt 1763 in Wilkes, [county], Georgia, USA
Lewis Bentley	M	abt 1764 in [city], [county], Georgia, USA
Catherine Bentley	F	abt 1772
Boy Bentley	M	1772
Joshua Bentley	M	abt 1775 in Wilkes, [county], Georgia, USA

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Susannah Bentley	F	abt 1752
John Bentley	M	1759 in [city], Wilkes, Georgia, USA
James Bentley	M	abt 1760
Balaam Bentley	M	abt 1763 in Wilkes, [county], Georgia, USA
Lewis Bentley	M	abt 1764 in [city], [county], Georgia, USA
Catherine Bentley	F	abt 1772
Boy Bentley	M	1772
Joshua Bentley	M	abt 1775 in Wilkes, [county], Georgia, USA

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APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP TO THE NATIONAL SOCIETY

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Name of Chapter Pelican

Computer Code Number 6-039-La.

National Number 606907

(Miss or Mrs.) Alice (First name) Dillard (Middle or Maiden name) Tinsley (Last name)

Wife ☒ Widow ☐ Divorced ☐ Earl Winford Tinsley (Husband)

Residence 313 (Number) Albany (Street) Shreveport (City) Louisiana (State) 71105 (Zip Code)

DESCENDANT OF

William Bentley

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The undersigned have investigated and approved the applicant and her application.

Rosa L. Harrison
Chapter Regent.

January 21, 1976 Clara Brown
Chapter Registrar.

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Application and duplicate received by Organizing Secretary General JAN 29 1976

Application and duplicate received by Registrar General JAN 29 1976

Application verified and approved MAR 19 1976

Annie Mann Richardson
Registrar General.

Accepted by the National Board of Management APR 17 1976, 19

Jeannette Osborn Baylie
Recording Secretary General.

Endorsement for membership at large:

State Regent.

Nominated and recommended by the two undersigned members of the Society in good standing, to whom the applicant is personally known. Endorsers must be of same Chapter; if joining At Large, of the same State.

ENDORSED IN HANDWRITING BY

Name Mrs. W. H. Bankston
Residence 81 Lake Forest Hills Sport, La.
Chapter Pelican

Name Mrs J. M. Smith
Residence Shreveport La
Chapter Pelican

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LINEAGE

I, Alice Marie Dillard Tinsley being of the age of eighteen years and upwards, hereby apply for membership in the Society by right of lineal descent in the following line from William Bentley

who was born in Fairfax Co. Virginia on the day of about, 1729

and died in Georgia near Atlanta on the day of , 1802

His place of residence during the Revolution was (Virginia)

(Please give all dates by numerals, month first, and given names in full)

I am the daughter of

1. Stonewall Jackson Dillard *2., *3. born on 12-19-1862 at Farmerville, Louisiana

died at Farmerville, Louisiana on 3-19-1944 and his (first or) wife

Pearla Maude Head *2., *3. born on 3-20-1875 at Headland, Alabama

died at Farmerville, Louisiana on 1-12-1942 married on 12-17-1900

2. The said Pearla Maude Head ~~Dillard~~ *2. *3. was the child of

James Joshua Head *1., *2. *3. born on 3-16-(1842) 1839 at Henry County, Georgia

died at Tampa, Florida on 1-14-1927 and his (first or) wife

Lucinda (Lutie) Fleming Holmes *1., *2. *3. born on 7-6-1841 at Perry, Georgia

died at Tampa, Florida on 4-16-1921 married on 4-20-1864 Houston Co. Ga.

3. The said James Joshua Head *1., *2., *3. was the child of

James Lloyd Head *1., *2., *3. born on 1-30-1808 at Putnam County, Georgia

died at Pike County, Georgia on 8-11-1863 and his (first or) wife

Beneta Arnold Callaway *1., *2., *3. born on 2-11-1819 at Henry County, Georgia

died at Upson County, Georgia on 8-17-1904 married on 9-19-1833 Henry Co. Ga.

4. The said Beneta Arnold Callaway ~~Head~~ *1., *2., *3. was the child of

Joshua Sanford Callaway #104168 A.121 born on 5-30-1789 at Wilkes County, Georgia

died at Jonesboro, Georgia *1o, *3. on 5-29-1854 and his (first or) wife

Mary Milner *1., *3 born on 2-25-1795 at Henry County, Georgia

died at (Henry) Jones County, Georgia on 9-12-(1821) 1826 married on 2-12-1811

5. The said Mary Milner ~~Callaway~~ #104168A.121 Wilkes Co Ga was the child of

Pitt Milner born on 6-22-1768 at Milner, Georgia

died at Milner, Georgia on 7-21-1839 and his (first or) wife

Apsyllah Holmes born on 9-12-1770 at (South North) Carolina

died at (Henry) Monroe County, Georgia on 4-26-1854 married on 3-4-1790

6. The said Apsyllah Holmes ~~Milner~~ #104168 A.121 was the child of

Rev. John Holmes #383580 born on 1747 at Caroline County, Vir.

died at Wilkes County, Georgia, on 1803 and his (first or) wife

Chloe Bentley born on 1749 at South Carolina

died at Wilkes County, Georgia on before 1813 married on 1767

7. The said Chloe Bentley ~~Holmes~~ #383580 was the child of

William Bentley born on (1710) about 1729 at Fairfax County, Virginia

died at near Atlanta, Ga. on 9-25-1802 and his (first or) wife

Mary Elliott born on at

died at on 2-15-1843 married on

8. The said was the child of

born on at

died at on and his (first or) wife

born on at

died at on married on

9. The said was the child of

born on at

died at on and his (first or) wife

born on at

died at on married on

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10. The said ..... was the child of
..... born on ..... at .....
died at ..... on ..... and his (first or) wife
..... born on ..... at .....
died at ..... on ..... married on .....

REFERENCES FOR LINEAGE

Give National Numbers of mother .....; grandmother .....; or any other close relatives credited with this ancestor .....

Give below Authorities, published or unpublished, covering all names, dates, places and connections between generations in this line from the grandparents through the generation of this Revolutionary ancestor. Send one certified, attested or photostatic copy of each piece of unpublished data. Cite published authorities by title, author, edition, volume and page.

*1. Family Bible Records of James Lloyd Head.
*2. Family Bible Records of Dr. + Mrs. James Joshua Head
*3. Other ~~Data~~ records.

Data in File Case

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Give, if possible, the following data: My Revolutionary ancestor was married
(1) to Mary Elliott at ....., 1
(2) to ..... at ....., 1
(3) to ..... at ....., 1

CHILDREN OF REVOLUTIONARY ANCESTOR

(By each marriage, if married more than once)

Names	*Dates of Birth*	*To Whom Married, noting if Married more than once*
William Bentley, Jr.		
Chloe Bentley	1749	Rev. John Holmes
John Bentley		

104168 A.121

I was born on 2-24-1903 at Farmerville, La.
married on 4-4-1926 at Gibsland, La. by Rev. J. C. Cox
to Earl Winford Tinsley who was born on 5-26-1902

Divorced on ..... at .....

104168
Add. 121

ELIGIBILITY CLAUSE

"Any woman is eligible for membership in the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution who is not less than eighteen years of age, and who is descended from a man or woman who, with unfailing loyalty to the cause of American Independence, served as a sailor, or as a soldier or civil officer in one of the several Colonies or States, or in the United Colonies or States, or as a recognized patriot, or rendered material aid thereto; provided the applicant is personally acceptable to the Society." (Constitution, Article III, Section 1.)

*Marriage in every instance in this paper means legal and lawful marriage.
Date of marriage may be substituted for dates of birth and death where such date proves the soldier to have been living during the Revolution and of a suitable age for service.
(Note: Resolution adopted by the twenty-fourth Continental Congress:
Descendants of polygamous marriage are not acceptable as members of this Society.)

ANCESTOR'S SERVICES

My ancestor's services in assisting in the establishment of American Independence during the War of the Revolution were as follows:

Third Regiment Virginia Continental Line; Served as lieutenant, then captain
Received land grants in Washington County, Georgia 1784; grants in Wilkes County 1783
D.A.R. Historical Collections; Discharge p. 178-July 15, 1785-Certificate of discharge mentioning services and bounties

The said William Bentley is the ancestor who assisted in establishing American Independence, while acting in the capacity of lieutenant, then captain ~~of the third Regiment Virginia Continental Line~~, Capt; Virginia

Give references by volume and page to the documentary or other authorities for—MILITARY RECORD: *Where reference is made to unpublished or inaccessible records of service, the applicant must file the official copy.*

Vol III p McCalls Roster of Revolutionary Soldiers in Ga.

Vol p 178 D.A.R. Historical Collections

Georgia List of Certified Soldiers

List of Revolutionary Army Officers, Powell

Society of Cincinnati of Georgia

JSG

4 pieces of data returned with dup

The following form of acknowledgment is required:

Applicant further says that the said William Bentley (name of ancestor from whom eligibility is derived) is the ancestor mentioned in the foregoing application, and that the statements hereinbefore set forth are true to the best of her knowledge and belief.

The applicant also pledges allegiance to the United States of America and agrees to support its Constitution. This applies to applicants for membership within the United States of America and its territories.

(Signature of Applicant) Alice Dillard Tinsley
(First name) (Middle or Maiden name) (Last name)

Subscribed and sworn to before me at Shreveport, Louisiana
(City) (State)

this 9th day of January A. D 1976

[SEAL] for life George J Despot
George J Despot
Signature of Notary
Caddo Parish La.

I do (do not) give consent to the office of the Registrar General to furnish by correspondence information contained in this application to persons seeking membership on same line.

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Subj: Re: HOLMES, JAMES C.-GA
Date: 97-05-24 08:42:34 EDT
From: Alabams
To: VHillJ

Dear VHillJ,

It was great to receive your response! I am excited to think that our Holmes ancestors might indeed be connected.

Yes, please send me Mrs. Cooper's research...I couldn't believe it when you mentioned that she was in Athens, GA. Are you in Athens, too? A few years ago I heard about a gentleman who taught at the University named Robert Wilson who had researched my Holmes line through a Holmes/Wilson connection. I was very disappointed to learn that Mr. Wilson was deceased...

If we are related, I may be able to add to your knowledge of the Holmes family.
My gggggrandfather was Robert Holmes who was a Captain in the Revolutionary War. At the time of the war, he was residing in Rowan County, NC. Later he moved to Oglethorpe County,GA. I submitted all of his family information and was admitted into the DAR.

My home address is: Debra Holmes Ghigna
204 West Linwood Drive
Birmingham, Alabama 35209

Wrote info our line
I sent Dr. Cooper's
letter on John's
1 June '97

I'm looking forward to hearing from you...and keeping my fingers crossed that we are related!

Sincerely,
Debra

In 1860 Allen Co., KA. is N. Nuz 50 yrs. *b 1810 Ger.

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1900 Dickinson Co. KA.

Jacob Horning (Jefferson Twnsp.) b Nov 1839 60 yrs. b Ger
Mother and Father b Ger. He is Naturalized
states he is married for 36 yrs....then this is crossed out
and a '2' written in. (He is probably married a second time
to the woman listed.....Anna b July 1859 40 yrs. 1 ch. 1 lvg.
Only other person listed on census...Louise Blaschka..step-dau.

SALT LAKE CITY, 19 MAY 1985

MENNONITE CHURCH, KANSAS...HILLSBORO.#981,059 film
1875-1960

Bruderthal Mennonite Church...REcords in German. Skimmed for the

name Nusz ...m,b,d NIL

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1885 CENSUS KANSAS NIL

DICKINSON CO. KA 975,734 SLC

976,089

AGRICULTURAL CENSUS

JEFFERSON TWNSP. 1885 KA P.O.BASEL PG 10?
FAM #17 JACOB HORNING m farmer Germany from OHIO
46 yrs Carolyn in 42 yrs. b GER
James 20 yrs. b OH
Chryst' 19 yrs.
George 18 " OH
Charles 16
Carolyn 15
Martha 13
Mary 9
Henry 11 OH
Gustav 3 KA

ACres of land and what is grown on the land

1245 acres under fence 55 no fenced 200 farm $7000. includes improvements
400 640 ac hedge fences 400 wire fences 55 wheat 25 corn
5 in oats 1 irish pots. 1500 bu of corn on hand 1 March 600 bu wheat
(goes on and on about, butter, 45 hogs, apples, peaches and pears
trees..2 dogs
two Churches of German Reform TURKEY CREEK 80 members
(Ebenezer) 1 German Baptist 50 members

Husband: Johannes Digel

Born: WFT Est. 1644-1673 in:
Married: WFT Est. 1670-1698 in:
Died: WFT Est. 1698-1758 in:
Father:
Mother:
Other Spouses:

Wife: Appolonia Digel

Born: WFT Est. 1653-1676 in:
Died: WFT Est. 1698-1764 in:
Father:
Mother:
Other Spouses:

	CHILDREN	
1	Name: Barbara Digel	
	Born: February 28, 1694/95	in:
F	Married: December 10, 1743	in:
	Died: December 10, 1743	in:
	Spouse: Jacob Hornung	
2	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	
3	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	
4	Name:	
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	Died:	in:
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5	Name:	
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	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	
6	Name:	
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	Died:	in:
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7	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	
8	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	

Husband: Johann George Hornung

Born: February 05, 1803 in:
Married: November 21, 1837 in:
Died: May 03, 1855 in:
Father: Michael Hornung
Mother: Christiana Heniss
Other Spouses:

Wife: Anna Marie Weyhmg

Born: October 12, 1815 in:
Died: WFT Est. 1856-1910 in:
Father:
Mother:
Other Spouses:

	CHILDREN	
1	Name: Johann Jacob Hornung	
	Born: November 12, 1839	in: Gormaringon Wuerttemberg Germany
M	Married: October 27, 1863	in: Shelby, Ohio
	Died: January 12, 1920	in: Osawkie, Kansas
	Spouses: Anne Neubauer, Louise Caroline Hornung	
2	Name: Johann Georg Hornung	
	Born: July 11, 1837	in:
M	Married:	in:
	Died: December 17, 1838	in:
	Spouse:	
3	Name: Anna Maria Hornung	
	Born: August 11, 1838	in:
F	Married: May 26, 1861	in:
	Died: WFT Est. 1867-1932	in:
	Spouse: M. Christian Knobel	
4	Name: Simon Hornung	
	Born: February 10, 1841	in:
M	Married:	in:
	Died: September 09, 1857	in:
	Spouse:	
5	Name: Maria Barbara Hornung	
	Born: February 10, 1843	in:
F	Married:	in:
	Died: WFT Est. 1844-1937	in:
	Spouse:	
6	Name: Johann Georg Hornung	
	Born: July 07, 1844	in: Gomaringen
M	Married:	in:
	Died: WFT Est. 1845-1934	in:
	Spouse:	
7	Name: Katharina Hornung	
	Born: August 26, 1845	in:
F	Married:	in:
	Died: December 31, 1845	in:
	Spouse:	
8	Name: Johann Hornung	
	Born: November 28, 1846	in:
M	Married:	in:
	Died: January 21, 1847	in:
	Spouse:	

9	Name: Martin Hornung	
	Born: April 01, 1779	in:
M	Married:	in:
	Died: WFT Est. 1780-1869	in:
	Spouse:	
10	Name: Agnes Hornung	
	Born: WFT Est. 1755-1782	in:
F	Married:	in:
	Died: WFT Est. 1761-1864	in:
	Spouse:	
11	Name:	
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	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	
12	Name:	
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SINGLE SOURCE NOTETAKING FORM

Name(s) of Interest HORNING

Ancestor(2) _____

Collateral Line _____

Date of Search 21 July '83

Document Obtained 1910 + Census Sndy

Search Result _____

Researcher VJ!

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Jefferson Co, KA Fairview Township

m. 11 yrs. farmer-owns 69 acres

JACOB HORNING 70 Ger.-Ger-Ger

-2 ch.-2 log.

ANNA 58 Ger. " "

SARRAH (dau.) 9 KA.

Ruth " 6 "

1910
70
1840

Husband: Johann Jacob Horning

Born:	November 12, 1839	in: Gormaringon Wuerttemberg Germany
Married:	October 27, 1863	in: Shelby, Ohio
Died:	January 12, 1920	in: Osawkie, Kansas
Father:	Johann George Horning	
Mother:	Anna Marie Weyhmg	
	Other Spouses: Anne Neubauer	

HORNING

Wife: Louise Caroline Horning

Born:	January 11, 1842	in: Wuerttemberg Germany
Died:	September 29, 1897	in: Dickinson County KS
Father:	Johannes Horning	
Mother:	Maria Caroline Schnepf	
	Other Spouses:	

	CHILDREN	
1	Name: John Henry Horning	
	Born: July 21, 1864	in: Elmo, Kansas
M	Married: October 12, 1904	in: Solomon, Ks
	Died: September 24, 1915	in: Goshen?, Oregon
	Spouse: Anna Isabelle Wimpsatt	
2	Name: Christian Oscar Horning	
	Born: August 21, 1865	in: Shelby OH
M	Married: June 28, 1894	in: The Dalles, Hood River, OR
	Died: September 07, 1924	in: Seattle, Wa
	Spouse: Lula May Rand	
3	Name: George John Horning, Sr	
	Born: September 25, 1866	in: Edon, Williams Co. Ohio
M	Married: July 15, 1897	in: Abilene, Ks
	Died: December 16, 1939	in: Moscow, Idaho
	Spouses: Anna Ida Beier, Mary Tuttle	
4	Name: Charles Frederick Horning	
	Born: February 13, 1868	in: Ohio
M	Married:	in:
	Died: July 08, 1955	in:
	Spouse: Lillian	
5	Name: Mary Louise Caroline Horning	
	Born: October 24, 1869	in:
F	Married: WFT Est. 1883-1886	in:
	Died: August 07, 1955	in:
	Spouse: Charles H. Brown	
6	Name: Martha Magdalene Horning	
	Born: June 01, 1871	in: Ohio
F	Married: WFT Est. 1887-1917	in:
	Died: February 22, 1955	in: Longford, Ks
	Spouse: Rudolph Kissling	
7	Name: Jacob Heinrich (Henery) Horning	
	Born: January 20, 1874	in: Ohio
M	Married: April 29, 1903	in:
	Died: April 20, 1943	in: Ople, Ks.
	Spouse: Sophia Clara Hohne	
8	Name: Mary Mathilda Horning	
	Born: March 19, 1876	in: Ohio
F	Married: 1897	in:
	Died: April 21, 1942	in:
	Spouse: Bengiman Nusz	

Husband: Johann George Hornung

Born:	February 05, 1803	in:
Married:	November 21, 1837	in:
Died:	May 03, 1855	in:
Father:	Michael Hornung	
Mother:	Christiana Heniss	
	Other Spouses:	

Wife: Anna Marie Weyhmg

Born:	October 12, 1815	in:
Died:	WFT Est. 1856-1910	in:
Father:		
Mother:		
	Other Spouses:	

	CHILDREN		
1	Name:	Johann Jacob Hornung	
	Born:	November 12, 1839	in: Gormaringon Wuerttemberg Germany
M	Married:	October 27, 1863	in: Shelby, Ohio
	Died:	January 12, 1920	in: Osawkie, Kansas
	Spouses:	Anne Neubauer, Louise Caroline Hornung	
2	Name:	Johann Georg Hornung	
	Born:	July 11, 1837	in:
M	Married:		in:
	Died:	December 17, 1838	in:
	Spouse:		
3	Name:	Anna Maria Hornung	
	Born:	August 11, 1838	in:
F	Married:	May 26, 1861	in:
	Died:	WFT Est. 1867-1932	in:
	Spouse:	M. Christian Knobel	
4	Name:	Simon Hornung	
	Born:	February 10, 1841	in:
M	Married:		in:
	Died:	September 09, 1857	in:
	Spouse:		
5	Name:	Maria Barbara Hornung	
	Born:	February 10, 1843	in:
F	Married:		in:
	Died:	WFT Est. 1844-1937	in:
	Spouse:		
6	Name:	Johann Georg Hornung	
	Born:	July 07, 1844	in: Gomaringen
M	Married:		in:
	Died:	WFT Est. 1845-1934	in:
	Spouse:		
7	Name:	Katharina Hornung	
	Born:	August 26, 1845	in:
F	Married:		in:
	Died:	December 31, 1845	in:
	Spouse:		
8	Name:	Johann Hornung	
	Born:	November 28, 1846	in:
M	Married:		in:
	Died:	January 21, 1847	in:
	Spouse:		

9	Name:	Martin Hornung	
	Born:	April 01, 1779	in:
M	Married:		in:
	Died:	WFT Est. 1780-1869	in:
	Spouse:		
10	Name:	Agnes Hornung	
	Born:	WFT Est. 1755-1782	in:
F	Married:		in:
	Died:	WFT Est. 1761-1864	in:
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	Born:		in:
	Married:		in:
	Died:		in:
	Spouse:		

Husband: Jacob Hornung

Born:	1691	in:
Married:	December 10, 1743	in:
Died:	April 20, 1764	in:
Father:		
Mother:		
Other Spouses:	Anna Maria Trautmann	

Wife: Barbara Digel

Born:	February 28, 1694/95	in:
Died:	December 10, 1743	in:
Father:	Johannes Digel	
Mother:	Appolonia Digel	
Other Spouses:		

	CHILDREN		
1	Name:	Johannes Jacobus Hornung	
	Born:	November 24, 1715	in:
M	Married:	June 19, 1737	in:
	Died:	July 07, 1750	in: year unknown
	Spouse:	Magd Krumm	
2	Name:	Appolonia Hornung	
	Born:	December 15, 1717	in:
F	Married:		in:
	Died:	November 28, 1730	in: unsure of year
	Spouse:		
3	Name:	Maria Hornung	
	Born:	July 26, 1719	in:
F	Married:		in:
	Died:	January 18, 1719/20	in:
	Spouse:		
4	Name:	Johannes Hornung	
	Born:	February 09, 1718/19	in:
M	Married:		in:
	Died:	November 17, 1720	in:
	Spouse:		
5	Name:	Michael Hornung	
	Born:	February 04, 1721/22	in:
M	Married:	November 23, 1740	in:
	Died:	January 24, 1780	in:
	Spouses:	Barbara Digel, Muller A. M.	
6	Name:	Johannes Hornung	
	Born:	December 14, 1720	in:
M	Married:		in:
	Died:	August 20, 1723	in:
	Spouse:		
7	Name:	Jacob Hornung	
	Born:	February 17, 1724/25	in:
M	Married:		in:
	Died:	WFT Est. 1726-1815	in:
	Spouse:		
8	Name:	Barbara Hornung	
	Born:	January 18, 1726/27	in:
F	Married:	June 16, 1750	in:
	Died:	May 17, 1780	in:
	Spouse:	Jos Digel	

9	Name:	Elisabetha Hornung	
	Born:	July 02, 1728	in:
F	Married:		in:
	Died:	April 07, 1729	in:
	Spouse:		
10	Name:	Martin Hornung	
	Born:	July 10, 1730	in:
M	Married:	January 22, 1753	in:
	Died:	November 02, 1790	in:
	Spouse:	Wettenmann A. M.	
11	Name:	Johannes Hornung	
	Born:	May 05, 1732	in:
M	Married:		in:
	Died:	March 03, 1732/33	in: chech date
	Spouse:		
12	Name:	Georg Hornung	
	Born:	May 03, 1733	in:
M	Married:		in:
	Died:	WFT Est. 1734-1823	in:
	Spouse:		
13	Name:	Hanns Georg Hornung	
	Born:	May 04, 1735	in: Wuerttemberg, Germany
M	Married:	November 1756	in:
	Died:	1808	in: Dettingen, Germany
	Spouse:	Anna Hack	
14	Name:	Maria Agnes Hornung	
	Born:	October 27, 1738	in:
F	Married:	April 30, 1755	in:
	Died:	WFT Est. 1761-1832	in:
	Spouse:	Jerg Hack	
15	Name:		
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	Born:		in:
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	Died:		in:
	Spouse:		

Husband: Hanns Georg Hornung

Born: May 04, 1735 in: Wuerttemberg, Germany
Married: November 1756 in:
Died: 1808 in: Dettingen, Germany
Father: Jacob Hornung
Mother: Barbara Digel
Other Spouses:

Wife: Anna Hack

Born: April 03, 1737 in: Wuerttemberg Germany
Died: December 21, 1797 in: Dettingen Germany
Father: Michel Hack
Mother: Maria Barbara Fauser
Other Spouses:

CHILDREN

1	Name: Michael Hornung		
	Born: September 04, 1761	in: Ohemhausen Germany	
M	Married: November 29, 1799	in:	
	Died: November 13, 1842	in:	
	Spouses: Anna Maria Klett, Ana Barbara Nerz, Christiana Heniss		
2	Name: Barbara Hornung		
	Born: October 07, 1757	in:	
F	Married:	in:	
	Died: WFT Est. 1758-1851	in:	
	Spouse:		
3	Name: Johann Georg Hornung		
	Born: September 21, 1759	in:	
M	Married:	in:	
	Died: WFT Est. 1760-1849	in:	
	Spouse:		
4	Name: Anna Maria Hornung		
	Born: September 26, 1763	in:	
F	Married:	in:	
	Died: WFT Est. 1764-1857	in:	
	Spouse:		
5	Name: Jacob Hornung		
	Born: February 11, 1766	in:	
M	Married:	in:	
	Died: WFT Est. 1767-1856	in:	
	Spouse:		
6	Name: Johann Jacob Hornung		
	Born: January 30, 1767	in:	
M	Married:	in:	
	Died: WFT Est. 1768-1857	in:	
	Spouse:		
7	Name: Anna Barbara Hornung		
	Born: June 27, 1771	in:	
F	Married:	in:	
	Died: WFT Est. 1772-1865	in:	
	Spouse:		
8	Name: Matthaus Hornung		
	Born: March 03, 1775	in:	
M	Married:	in:	
	Died: WFT Est. 1776-1865	in:	
	Spouse:		

Husband: Martin Heniss

Born: WFT Est. 1736-1765 in:
Married: WFT Est. 1762-1790 in:
Died: WFT Est. 1790-1850 in:
Father:
Mother:
Other Spouses:

Wife: Anna Barbara Digel

Born: WFT Est. 1745-1768 in:
Died: WFT Est. 1790-1856 in:
Father:
Mother:
Other Spouses:

	CHILDREN	
1	Name: Christiana Heniss	
	Born: November 19, 1787	in:
F	Married: November 29, 1799	in:
	Died: December 04, 1824	in:
	Spouse: Michael Hornung	
2	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	
3	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	
4	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	
5	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	
6	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	
7	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	
8	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	

Husband: Michael Hornung

Born:	September 04, 1761	in: Ohemhausen Germany
Married:	November 29, 1799	in:
Died:	November 13, 1842	in:
Father:	Hanns Georg Hornung	
Mother:	Anna Hack	
Other Spouses:	Anna Maria Klett, Ana Barbara Nerz	

Wife: Christiana Heniss

Born:	November 19, 1787	in:
Died:	December 04, 1824	in:
Father:	Martin Heniss	
Mother:	Anna Barbara Digel	
Other Spouses:		

CHILDREN

1	Name:	Johann George Hornung	
	Born:	February 05, 1803	in:
M	Married:	November 21, 1837	in:
	Died:	May 03, 1855	in:
	Spouse:	Anna Marie Weyhmg	
2	Name:	Milhelmina Hornung	
	Born:	April 20, 1801	in:
?	Married:		in:
	Died:	WFT Est. 1802-1895	in:
	Spouse:		
3	Name:	Earl Phillip Hornung	
	Born:	October 31, 1807	in:
M	Married:		in:
	Died:	WFT Est. 1808-1897	in:
	Spouse:		
4	Name:	Theodorus Hornung	
	Born:	May 11, 1809	in:
M	Married:		in:
	Died:	WFT Est. 1810-1899	in:
	Spouse:		
5	Name:	Johannes Hornung	
	Born:	January 31, 1816	in: Ohmenhausen, Reutlingen, Wuettemberg Germany
M	Married:	1837	in: Deckenpfronn or Ohmenhausen, Germany
	Died:	July 16, 1894	in: Mitchell County KS
	Spouse:	Maria Caroline Schnepf	
6	Name:		
	Born:		in:
	Married:		in:
	Died:		in:
	Spouse:		
7	Name:		
	Born:		in:
	Married:		in:
	Died:		in:
	Spouse:		
8	Name:		
	Born:		in:
	Married:		in:
	Died:		in:
	Spouse:		

9	Name:	Katharina Frieder Hornung	
	Born:	November 28, 1846	in:
F	Married:		in:
	Died:	WFT Est. 1847-1940	in:
	Spouse:		
10	Name:	Barbara Hornung	
	Born:	March 09, 1848	in:
F	Married:		in:
	Died:	August 29, 1848	in:
	Spouse:		
11	Name:	Christina Hornung	
	Born:	December 14, 1849	in:
F	Married:		in:
	Died:	September 05, 1855	in:
	Spouse:		
12	Name:	Catharina Hornung	
	Born:	March 19, 1851	in:
F	Married:		in:
	Died:	November 02, 1851	in:
	Spouse:		
13	Name:	Maria Catharina Hornung	
	Born:	July 18, 1854	in:
F	Married:		in:
	Died:	September 02, 1857	in:
	Spouse:		
14	Name:		
	Born:		in:
	Married:		in:
	Died:		in:
	Spouse:		
15	Name:		
	Born:		in:
	Married:		in:
	Died:		in:
	Spouse:		
16	Name:		
	Born:		in:
	Married:		in:
	Died:		in:
	Spouse:		
17	Name:		
	Born:		in:
	Married:		in:
	Died:		in:
	Spouse:		
18	Name:		
	Born:		in:
	Married:		in:
	Died:		in:
	Spouse:		
19	Name:		
	Born:		in:
	Married:		in:
	Died:		in:
	Spouse:		

Husband: Johann George Hornung

Born:	February 05, 1803	in:
Married:	November 21, 1837	in:
Died:	May 03, 1855	in:
Father:	Michael Hornung	
Mother:	Christiana Heniss	
	Other Spouses:	

Wife: Anna Marie Weyhmg

Born:	October 12, 1815	in:
Died:	WFT Est. 1856-1910	in:
Father:		
Mother:		
	Other Spouses:	

CHILDREN

1	Name:	Johann Jacob Hornung	
	Born:	November 12, 1839	in: Gormaringon Wuerttemberg Germany
M	Married:	October 27, 1863	in: Shelby, Ohio
	Died:	January 12, 1920	in: Osawkie, Kansas
	Spouses:	Anne Neubauer, Louise Caroline Hornung	
2	Name:	Johann Georg Hornung	
	Born:	July 11, 1837	in:
M	Married:		in:
	Died:	December 17, 1838	in:
	Spouse:		
3	Name:	Anna Maria Hornung	
	Born:	August 11, 1838	in:
F	Married:	May 26, 1861	in:
	Died:	WFT Est. 1867-1932	in:
	Spouse:	M. Christian Knobel	
4	Name:	Simon Hornung	
	Born:	February 10, 1841	in:
M	Married:		in:
	Died:	September 09, 1857	in:
	Spouse:		
5	Name:	Maria Barbara Hornung	
	Born:	February 10, 1843	in:
F	Married:		in:
	Died:	WFT Est. 1844-1937	in:
	Spouse:		
6	Name:	Johann Georg Hornung	
	Born:	July 07, 1844	in: Gomaringen
M	Married:		in:
	Died:	WFT Est. 1845-1934	in:
	Spouse:		
7	Name:	Katharina Hornung	
	Born:	August 26, 1845	in:
F	Married:		in:
	Died:	December 31, 1845	in:
	Spouse:		
8	Name:	Johann Hornung	
	Born:	November 28, 1846	in:
M	Married:		in:
	Died:	January 21, 1847	in:
	Spouse:		

Husband: Jacob Hornung

Born: 1691 in:
Married: December 10, 1743 in:
Died: April 20, 1764 in:
Father:
Mother:
Other Spouses: Anna Maria Trautmann

Wife: Barbara Digel

Born: February 28, 1694/95 in:
Died: December 10, 1743 in:
Father: Johannes Digel
Mother: Appolonia Digel
Other Spouses:

CHILDREN

1 M
Name: Johannes Jacobus Hornung
Born: November 24, 1715 in:
Married: June 19, 1737 in:
Died: July 07, 1750 in: year unknown
Spouse: Magd Krumm

2 F
Name: Appolonia Hornung
Born: December 15, 1717 in:
Married: in:
Died: November 28, 1730 in: unsure of year
Spouse:

3 F
Name: Maria Hornung
Born: July 26, 1719 in:
Married: in:
Died: January 18, 1719/20 in:
Spouse:

4 M
Name: Johannes Hornung
Born: February 09, 1718/19 in:
Married: in:
Died: November 17, 1720 in:
Spouse:

5 M
Name: Michael Hornung
Born: February 04, 1721/22 in:
Married: November 23, 1740 in:
Died: January 24, 1780 in:
Spouses: Barbara Digel, Muller A. M.

6 M
Name: Johannes Hornung
Born: December 14, 1720 in:
Married: in:
Died: August 20, 1723 in:
Spouse:

7 M
Name: Jacob Hornung
Born: February 17, 1724/25 in:
Married: in:
Died: WFT Est. 1726-1815 in:
Spouse:

8 F
Name: Barbara Hornung
Born: January 18, 1726/27 in:
Married: June 16, 1750 in:
Died: May 17, 1780 in:
Spouse: Jos Digel

9	Name: Elisabetha Hornung		
	Born: July 02, 1728	in:	
F	Married:	in:	
	Died: April 07, 1729	in:	
	Spouse:		
10	Name: Martin Hornung		
	Born: July 10, 1730	in:	
M	Married: January 22, 1753	in:	
	Died: November 02, 1790	in:	
	Spouse: Wettenmann A. M.		
11	Name: Johannes Hornung		
	Born: May 05, 1732	in:	
M	Married:	in:	
	Died: March 03, 1732/33	in: chech date	
	Spouse:		
12	Name: Georg Hornung		
	Born: May 03, 1733	in:	
M	Married:	in:	
	Died: WFT Est. 1734-1823	in:	
	Spouse:		
13	Name: Hanns Georg Hornung		
	Born: May 04, 1735	in: Wuerttemberg, Germany	
M	Married: November 1756	in:	
	Died: 1808	in: Dettingen, Germany	
	Spouse: Anna Hack		
14	Name: Maria Agnes Hornung		
	Born: October 27, 1738	in:	
F	Married: April 30, 1755	in:	
	Died: WFT Est. 1761-1832	in:	
	Spouse: Jerg Hack		
15	Name:		
	Born:	in:	
	Married:	in:	
	Died:	in:	
	Spouse:		
16	Name:		
	Born:	in:	
	Married:	in:	
	Died:	in:	
	Spouse:		
17	Name:		
	Born:	in:	
	Married:	in:	
	Died:	in:	
	Spouse:		
18	Name:		
	Born:	in:	
	Married:	in:	
	Died:	in:	
	Spouse:		
19	Name:		
	Born:	in:	
	Married:	in:	
	Died:	in:	
	Spouse:		

Husband: Hanns Georg Hornung

Born: May 04, 1735 in: Wuerttemberg, Germany
Married: November 1756 in:
Died: 1808 in: Dettingen, Germany
Father: Jacob Hornung
Mother: Barbara Digel
Other Spouses:

Wife: Anna Hack

Born: April 03, 1737 in: Wuerttemberg Germany
Died: December 21, 1797 in: Dettingen Germany
Father: Michel Hack
Mother: Maria Barbara Fauser
Other Spouses:

CHILDREN

1 M
Name: Michael Hornung
Born: September 04, 1761 in: Ohemhausen Germany
Married: November 29, 1799 in:
Died: November 13, 1842 in:
Spouses: Anna Maria Klett, Ana Barbara Nerz, Christiana Heniss

2 F
Name: Barbara Hornung
Born: October 07, 1757 in:
Married: in:
Died: WFT Est. 1758-1851 in:
Spouse:

3 M
Name: Johann Georg Hornung
Born: September 21, 1759 in:
Married: in:
Died: WFT Est. 1760-1849 in:
Spouse:

4 F
Name: Anna Maria Hornung
Born: September 26, 1763 in:
Married: in:
Died: WFT Est. 1764-1857 in:
Spouse:

5 M
Name: Jacob Hornung
Born: February 11, 1766 in:
Married: in:
Died: WFT Est. 1767-1856 in:
Spouse:

6 M
Name: Johann Jacob Hornung
Born: January 30, 1767 in:
Married: in:
Died: WFT Est. 1768-1857 in:
Spouse:

7 F
Name: Anna Barbara Hornung
Born: June 27, 1771 in:
Married: in:
Died: WFT Est. 1772-1865 in:
Spouse:

8 M
Name: Matthaus Hornung
Born: March 03, 1775 in:
Married: in:
Died: WFT Est. 1776-1865 in:
Spouse:

Husband: Martin Heniss

Born: WFT Est. 1736-1765 in:
Married: WFT Est. 1762-1790 in:
Died: WFT Est. 1790-1850 in:
Father:
Mother:
Other Spouses:

Wife: Anna Barbara Digel

Born: WFT Est. 1745-1768 in:
Died: WFT Est. 1790-1856 in:
Father:
Mother:
Other Spouses:

	CHILDREN	
1	Name: Christiana Heniss	
	Born: November 19, 1787	in:
F	Married: November 29, 1799	in:
	Died: December 04, 1824	in:
	Spouse: Michael Horning	
2	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	
3	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	
4	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	
5	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	
6	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	
7	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	
8	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	

Husband: Michael Hornung

Born: September 04, 1761 in: Ohemhausen Germany
Married: November 29, 1799 in:
Died: November 13, 1842 in:
Father: Hanns Georg Hornung
Mother: Anna Hack
Other Spouses: Anna Maria Klett, Ana Barbara Nerz

Wife: Christiana Heniss

Born: November 19, 1787 in:
Died: December 04, 1824 in:
Father: Martin Heniss
Mother: Anna Barbara Digel
Other Spouses:

	CHILDREN	
1	Name: Johann George Hornung	
	Born: February 05, 1803	in:
M	Married: November 21, 1837	in:
	Died: May 03, 1855	in:
	Spouse: Anna Marie Weyhmg	
2	Name: Milhelmina Hornung	
	Born: April 20, 1801	in:
?	Married:	in:
	Died: WFT Est. 1802-1895	in:
	Spouse:	
3	Name: Earl Phillip Hornung	
	Born: October 31, 1807	in:
M	Married:	in:
	Died: WFT Est. 1808-1897	in:
	Spouse:	
4	Name: Theodorus Hornung	
	Born: May 11, 1809	in:
M	Married:	in:
	Died: WFT Est. 1810-1899	in:
	Spouse:	
5	Name: Johannes Hornung	
	Born: January 31, 1816	in: Ohmenhausen, Reutlingen, Wuettemberg Germany
M	Married: 1837	in: Deckenpfronn or Ohmenhausen, Germany
	Died: July 16, 1894	in: Mitchell County KS
	Spouse: Maria Caroline Schnepf	
6	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	
7	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	
8	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	

Husband: Michael Herring

Born: September 04, 1761 in: Obernkirchen Germany
Married: November 29, 1795 in:
Died: November 13, 1812 in:
Father: Hanns Georg Herring
Mother: Anna Heck
Other Spouses: Anna Maria Klee, Ana Barbara Herr

Wife: Christiana Rentz

Born: November 19, 1767 in:
Died: December 04, 1824 in:
Father: Martin Heinis
Mother: Anna Barbara Digel
Other Spouses:

	CHILDREN	
1	Name: Johann George Herring	
M	Born: February 05, 1803	in:
	Married: November 21, 1827	in:
	Died: May 03, 1855	in:
	Spouse: Anna Marie Wirsching	
2	Name: Milchelmina Herring	
F	Born: April 30, 1801	in:
	Married	in:
	Died: WFT Est. 1802-1892	in:
	Spouse:	
3	Name: Carl Philip Herring	
M	Born: October 31, 1807	in:
	Married	in:
	Died: WFT Est. 1808-1897	in:
	Spouse:	
4	Name: Theodora Herring	
M	Born: May 12, 1809	in:
	Married	in:
	Died: WFT Est. 1810-1899	in:
	Spouse:	
5	Name: Johannes Herring	
M	Born: January 21, 1816	in: Obernkirchen, Schaumburg, Westerndorf Germany
	Married: 1837	in: Derneburg/Hann or Obernkirchen, Germany
	Died: July 16, 1894	in: Winfield County KS
	Spouse: Maria Caroline Schmidt	
6	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	
7	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	
8	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	

9	Name: Katharina Frieder Hornung	
	Born: November 28, 1846	in:
F	Married:	in:
	Died: WFT Est. 1847-1940	in:
	Spouse:	
10	Name: Barbara Hornung	
	Born: March 09, 1848	in:
F	Married:	in:
	Died: August 29, 1848	in:
	Spouse:	
11	Name: Christina Hornung	
	Born: December 14, 1849	in:
F	Married:	in:
	Died: September 05, 1855	in:
	Spouse:	
12	Name: Catharina Hornung	
	Born: March 19, 1851	in:
F	Married:	in:
	Died: November 02, 1851	in:
	Spouse:	
13	Name: Maria Catharina Hornung	
	Born: July 18, 1854	in:
F	Married:	in:
	Died: September 02, 1857	in:
	Spouse:	
14	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	
15	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	
16	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	
17	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	
18	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	
19	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	

Husband: Johann George Hornung

Born: February 05, 1803 in:
Married: November 21, 1837 in:
Died: May 03, 1855 in:
Father: Michael Hornung
Mother: Christiana Heniss
Other Spouses:

Wife: Anna Marie Weyhmg

Born: October 12, 1815 in:
Died: WFT Est. 1856-1910 in:
Father:
Mother:
Other Spouses:

CHILDREN

1 M
Name: Johann Jacob Hornung
Born: November 12, 1839 in: Gormaringon Wuerttemberg Germany
Married: October 27, 1863 in: Shelby, Ohio
Died: January 12, 1920 in: Osawkie, Kansas
Spouses: Anne Neubauer, Louise Caroline Hornung

2 M
Name: Johann Georg Hornung
Born: July 11, 1837 in:
Married: in:
Died: December 17, 1838 in:
Spouse:

3 F
Name: Anna Maria Hornung
Born: August 11, 1838 in:
Married: May 26, 1861 in:
Died: WFT Est. 1867-1932 in:
Spouse: M. Christian Knobel

4 M
Name: Simon Hornung
Born: February 10, 1841 in:
Married: in:
Died: September 09, 1857 in:
Spouse:

5 F
Name: Maria Barbara Hornung
Born: February 10, 1843 in:
Married: in:
Died: WFT Est. 1844-1937 in:
Spouse:

6 M
Name: Johann Georg Hornung
Born: July 07, 1844 in: Gomaringen
Married: in:
Died: WFT Est. 1845-1934 in:
Spouse:

7 F
Name: Katharina Hornung
Born: August 26, 1845 in:
Married: in:
Died: December 31, 1845 in:
Spouse:

8 M
Name: Johann Hornung
Born: November 28, 1846 in:
Married: in:
Died: January 21, 1847 in:
Spouse:

Husband: Johann Jacob Hornung

Born: November 12, 1839 in: Gormaringon Wuerttemberg Germany
Married: October 27, 1863 in: Shelby, Ohio
Died: January 12, 1920 in: Osawkie, Kansas
Father: Johann George Hornung
Mother: Anna Marie Weyhmg
Other Spouses: Anne Neubauer

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Wife: Louise Caroline Hornung

Born: January 11, 1842 in: Wuerttemberg Germany
Died: September 29, 1897 in: Dickinson County KS
Father: Johannes Hornung
Mother: Maria Caroline Schnepf
Other Spouses:

CHILDREN

1	Name: John Henry Hornung	
	Born: July 21, 1864	in: Elmo, Kansas
M	Married: October 12, 1904	in: Solomon, Ks
	Died: September 24, 1915	in: Goshen?, Oregon
	Spouse: Anna Isabelle Wimpsatt	
2	Name: Christian Oscar Hornung	
	Born: August 21, 1865	in: Shelby OH
M	Married: June 28, 1894	in: The Dalles, Hood River, OR
	Died: September 07, 1924	in: Seattle, Wa
	Spouse: Lula May Rand	
3	Name: George John Hornung, Sr	
	Born: September 25, 1866	in: Edon, Williams Co. Ohio
M	Married: July 15, 1897	in: Abilene, Ks
	Died: December 16, 1939	in: Moscow, Idaho
	Spouses: Anna Ida Beier, Mary Tuttle	
4	Name: Charles Frederick Hornung	
	Born: February 13, 1868	in: Ohio
M	Married:	in:
	Died: July 08, 1955	in:
	Spouse: Lillian	
5	Name: Mary Louise Caroline Horning	
	Born: October 24, 1869	in:
F	Married: WFT Est. 1883-1886	in:
	Died: August 07, 1955	in:
	Spouse: Charles H. Brown	
6	Name: Martha Magdalene Horning	
	Born: June 01, 1871	in: Ohio
F	Married: WFT Est. 1887-1917	in:
	Died: February 22, 1955	in: Longford, Ks
	Spouse: Rudolph Kissling	
7	Name: Jacob Heinrich (Henery) Horning	
	Born: January 20, 1874	in: Ohio
M	Married: April 29, 1903	in:
	Died: April 20, 1943	in: Ople, Ks.
	Spouse: Sophia Clara Hohne	
8	Name: Mary Mathilda Hornung	
	Born: March 19, 1876	in: Ohio
F	Married: 1897	in:
	Died: April 21, 1942	in:
	Spouse: Bengiman Nusz	

9	Name:	Gustav Adolph Horning	
	Born:	September 11, 1881	in: New Basel, Ks
M	Married:		in:
	Died:	February 22, 1923	in: Bakersfield, California
	Spouse:		
10	Name:	Marie Louise Caroline Horning	
	Born:	1871	in:
F	Married:		in:
	Died:	WFT Est. 1872-1965	in:
	Spouse:		
11	Name:	Jacob Heinrich Horning	
	Born:	1874	in:
M	Married:		in:
	Died:	WFT Est. 1875-1964	in:
	Spouse:		
12	Name:	Gustov Adolph Horning	
	Born:	September 11, 1881	in: New Basal KS
M	Married:		in:
	Died:	February 21, 1923	in: Bakerfield, CA
	Spouse:		
13	Name:		
	Born:		in:
	Married:		in:
	Died:		in:
	Spouse:		
14	Name:		
	Born:		in:
	Married:		in:
	Died:		in:
	Spouse:		
15	Name:		
	Born:		in:
	Married:		in:
	Died:		in:
	Spouse:		
16	Name:		
	Born:		in:
	Married:		in:
	Died:		in:
	Spouse:		
17	Name:		
	Born:		in:
	Married:		in:
	Died:		in:
	Spouse:		
18	Name:		
	Born:		in:
	Married:		in:
	Died:		in:
	Spouse:		
19	Name:		
	Born:		in:
	Married:		in:
	Died:		in:
	Spouse:		

Husband: Johannes Hornung

Born:	January 31, 1816	in: Ohmenhausen, Reutlingen, Wuettemberg Germany
Married:	1837	in: Deckenpfronn or Ohmenhausen, Germany
Died:	July 16, 1894	in: Mitchell County KS
Father:	Michael Hornung	
Mother:	Christiana Heniss	
	Other Spouses:	

Wife: Maria Caroline Schnepf

Born:	January 03, 1815	in: Deckenpfronn, near Calw, Wuerttemberg Germany
Died:	October 20, 1881	in: Ebenezer Dickinson County KS
Father:		
Mother:		
	Other Spouses:	

	CHILDREN		
1	Name:	Christian Gottlieb Hornung	
	Born:	1838	in:
M	Married:		in:
	Died:	1915	in:
	Spouse:		
2	Name:	Louise Caroline Hornung	
	Born:	January 11, 1842	in: Wuerttemberg Germany
F	Married:	October 27, 1863	in: Shelby, Ohio
	Died:	September 29, 1897	in: Dickinson County KS
	Spouse:	Johann Jacob Hornung	
3	Name:		
	Born:		in:
	Married:		in:
	Died:		in:
	Spouse:		
4	Name:		
	Born:		in:
	Married:		in:
	Died:		in:
	Spouse:		
5	Name:		
	Born:		in:
	Married:		in:
	Died:		in:
	Spouse:		
6	Name:		
	Born:		in:
	Married:		in:
	Died:		in:
	Spouse:		
7	Name:		
	Born:		in:
	Married:		in:
	Died:		in:
	Spouse:		
8	Name:		
	Born:		in:
	Married:		in:
	Died:		in:
	Spouse:		

Husband: Michael Horning

Born: September 04, 1761 in: Ohemhausen Germany
Married: November 29, 1799 in:
Died: November 13, 1842 in:
Father: Hanns Georg Horning
Mother: Anna Hack
Other Spouses: Anna Maria Klett, Ana Barbara Nerz

Wife: Christiana Heniss

Born: November 19, 1787 in:
Died: December 04, 1824 in:
Father: Martin Heniss
Mother: Anna Barbara Digel
Other Spouses:

	CHILDREN	
1	Name: Johann George Horning	
	Born: February 05, 1803	in:
M	Married: November 21, 1837	in:
	Died: May 03, 1855	in:
	Spouse: Anna Marie Weyhmg	
2	Name: Milhelmina Horning	
	Born: April 20, 1801	in:
?	Married:	in:
	Died: WFT Est. 1802-1895	in:
	Spouse:	
3	Name: Earl Phillip Horning	
	Born: October 31, 1807	in:
M	Married:	in:
	Died: WFT Est. 1808-1897	in:
	Spouse:	
4	Name: Theodorus Horning	
	Born: May 11, 1809	in:
M	Married:	in:
	Died: WFT Est. 1810-1899	in:
	Spouse:	
5	Name: Johannes Horning	
	Born: January 31, 1816	in: Ohmenhausen, Reutlingen, Wuettemberg Germany
M	Married: 1837	in: Deckenpfronn or Ohmenhausen, Germany
	Died: July 16, 1894	in: Mitchell County KS
	Spouse: Maria Caroline Schnepf	
6	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	
7	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	
8	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	

Husband: Hanns Georg Hornung

Born: May 04, 1735 in: Wuerttemberg, Germany
Married: November 1756 in:
Died: 1808 in: Dettingen, Germany
Father: Jacob Hornung
Mother: Barbara Digel
Other Spouses:

Wife: Anna Hack

Born: April 03, 1737 in: Wuerttemberg Germany
Died: December 21, 1797 in: Dettingen Germany
Father: Michel Hack
Mother: Maria Barbara Fauser
Other Spouses:

CHILDREN

1 M
Name: Michael Hornung
Born: September 04, 1761 in: Ohemhausen Germany
Married: November 29, 1799 in:
Died: November 13, 1842 in:
Spouses: Anna Maria Klett, Ana Barbara Nerz, Christiana Heniss

2 F
Name: Barbara Hornung
Born: October 07, 1757 in:
Married: in:
Died: WFT Est. 1758-1851 in:
Spouse:

3 M
Name: Johann Georg Hornung
Born: September 21, 1759 in:
Married: in:
Died: WFT Est. 1760-1849 in:
Spouse:

4 F
Name: Anna Maria Hornung
Born: September 26, 1763 in:
Married: in:
Died: WFT Est. 1764-1857 in:
Spouse:

5 M
Name: Jacob Hornung
Born: February 11, 1766 in:
Married: in:
Died: WFT Est. 1767-1856 in:
Spouse:

6 M
Name: Johann Jacob Hornung
Born: January 30, 1767 in:
Married: in:
Died: WFT Est. 1768-1857 in:
Spouse:

7 F
Name: Anna Barbara Hornung
Born: June 27, 1771 in:
Married: in:
Died: WFT Est. 1772-1865 in:
Spouse:

8 M
Name: Matthaus Hornung
Born: March 03, 1775 in:
Married: in:
Died: WFT Est. 1776-1865 in:
Spouse:

9	Name:	Martin Horning	
	Born:	April 01, 1779	in:
M	Married:		in:
	Died:	WFT Est. 1780-1869	in:
	Spouse:		
10	Name:	Agnes Horning	
	Born:	WFT Est. 1755-1782	in:
F	Married:		in:
	Died:	WFT Est. 1761-1864	in:
	Spouse:		
11	Name:		
	Born:		in:
	Married:		in:
	Died:		in:
	Spouse:		
12	Name:		
	Born:		in:
	Married:		in:
	Died:		in:
	Spouse:		
13	Name:		
	Born:		in:
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	Spouse:		
19	Name:		
	Born:		in:
	Married:		in:
	Died:		in:
	Spouse:		

Husband: Jacob Hornung

Born: 1691 in:
Married: December 10, 1743 in:
Died: April 20, 1764 in:
Father:
Mother:
Other Spouses: Anna Maria Trautmann

Wife: Barbara Digel

Born: February 28, 1694/95 in:
Died: December 10, 1743 in:
Father: Johannes Digel
Mother: Appolonia Digel
Other Spouses:

CHILDREN

1 M
Name: Johannes Jacobus Hornung
Born: November 24, 1715 in:
Married: June 19, 1737 in:
Died: July 07, 1750 in: year unknown
Spouse: Magd Krumm

2 F
Name: Appolonia Hornung
Born: December 15, 1717 in:
Married: in:
Died: November 28, 1730 in: unsure of year
Spouse:

3 F
Name: Maria Hornung
Born: July 26, 1719 in:
Married: in:
Died: January 18, 1719/20 in:
Spouse:

4 M
Name: Johannes Hornung
Born: February 09, 1718/19 in:
Married: in:
Died: November 17, 1720 in:
Spouse:

5 M
Name: Michael Hornung
Born: February 04, 1721/22 in:
Married: November 23, 1740 in:
Died: January 24, 1780 in:
Spouses: Barbara Digel, Muller A. M.

6 M
Name: Johannes Hornung
Born: December 14, 1720 in:
Married: in:
Died: August 20, 1723 in:
Spouse:

7 M
Name: Jacob Hornung
Born: February 17, 1724/25 in:
Married: in:
Died: WFT Est. 1726-1815 in:
Spouse:

8 F
Name: Barbara Hornung
Born: January 18, 1726/27 in:
Married: June 16, 1750 in:
Died: May 17, 1780 in:
Spouse: Jos Digel

9	Name: Elisabetha Hornung	
	Born: July 02, 1728	in:
F	Married:	in:
	Died: April 07, 1729	in:
	Spouse:	
10	Name: Martin Hornung	
	Born: July 10, 1730	in:
M	Married: January 22, 1753	in:
	Died: November 02, 1790	in:
	Spouse: Wettenmann A. M.	
11	Name: Johannes Hornung	
	Born: May 05, 1732	in:
M	Married:	in:
	Died: March 03, 1732/33	in: chech date
	Spouse:	
12	Name: Georg Hornung	
	Born: May 03, 1733	in:
M	Married:	in:
	Died: WFT Est. 1734-1823	in:
	Spouse:	
13	Name: Hanns Georg Hornung	
	Born: May 04, 1735	in: Wuerttemberg, Germany
M	Married: November 1756	in:
	Died: 1808	in: Dettingen, Germany
	Spouse: Anna Hack	
14	Name: Maria Agnes Hornung	
	Born: October 27, 1738	in:
F	Married: April 30, 1755	in:
	Died: WFT Est. 1761-1832	in:
	Spouse: Jerg Hack	
15	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	
16	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	
17	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	
18	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	
19	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	

Husband: Johannes Digel

Born: WFT Est. 1644-1673 in:
Married: WFT Est. 1670-1698 in:
Died: WFT Est. 1698-1758 in:
Father:
Mother:
Other Spouses:

Wife: Appolonia Digel

Born: WFT Est. 1653-1676 in:
Died: WFT Est. 1698-1764 in:
Father:
Mother:
Other Spouses:

CHILDREN

1	Name: Barbara Digel	
	Born: February 28, 1694/95	in:
F	Married: December 10, 1743	in:
	Died: December 10, 1743	in:
	Spouse: Jacob Hornung	
2	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	
3	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
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	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	
7	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	
8	Name:	
	Born:	in:
	Married:	in:
	Died:	in:
	Spouse:	

Husband: Michel Hack

Born: WFT Est. 1686-1715 in:
Married: WFT Est. 1712-1740 in:
Died: WFT Est. 1740-1800 in:
Father:
Mother:
Other Spouses:

Wife: Maria Barbara Fauser

Born: WFT Est. 1695-1718 in:
Died: WFT Est. 1740-1806 in:
Father:
Mother:
Other Spouses:

	CHILDREN	
1 F	Name: Anna Hack Born: April 03, 1737 Married: November 1756 Died: December 21, 1797 Spouse: Hanns Georg Hornung	in: Wuerttemberg Germany in: in: Dettingen Germany
2	Name: Born: Married: Died: Spouse:	in: in: in:
3	Name: Born: Married: Died: Spouse:	in: in: in:
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NAME OF PERSON SUBMITTING CHART

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1 **Mary Matilda Horning**
BORN 19 Mar. 1876
WHERE Ohio
WHEN MARRIED 14 May 1897
DIED
WHERE

Benjamin Nusz
NAME OF HUSBAND OR WIFE

2 **Jacob Horning**
BORN 1840
WHERE Wurttemberg, Germany
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE

3 **Louisa C.**
BORN ca. 1843
WHERE Wurttemberg, Germany
DIED
WHERE

4 **Charles Horning**
BORN ca. 1823
WHERE Germany
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE

5 **Catherine**
BORN ca. 1825
WHERE Germany
DIED
WHERE

6
BORN
WHERE
WHEN MARRIED
DIED
WHERE

7
BORN
WHERE
DIED
WHERE

8 **Peter Horning**
BORN ca. 1785
WHERE Germany
WHEN MARRIED
DIED between 1850 & 60
WHERE ?Henry Co, Ohio

9 **Margaret**
BORN ca. 1784
WHERE Germany
DIED
WHERE ?Henry Co, Ohio

10
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WHERE
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Hornwood, Jo 21; Virginia, 1635 *3283 p121*
Hornwood, Jo 21; Virginia, 1635 *9151 p97*
Hornwood, Jo 21; Virginia, 1635 *9151 p104*
Horny, Bentz n.a.; Philadelphia, Pa., 1750 *7820 p226*
Horny, Bentz n.a.; Philadelphia, Pa., 1750 *9041 p428*
Horoland, Wm W 24; New York, N.Y., 1822 *9268 p92*
Horold, Henry n.a.; Philadelphia, Pa., 1854 *9297 p271*
Horon, John n.a.; New Castle, Del., 1789 *7600 p83*
Horp, Jurg n.a.; Philadelphia, Pa., 1753 *9041 p539*
Horpel, Johan Gorg n.a.; Philadelphia, Pa., 1749 *9041 p412*
Horpell, Jeremias n.a.; Philadelphia, Pa., 1754 *9041 p621*
Horpster, Michal n.a.; Philadelphia, Pa., 1741 *9041 p313*
Horr, Mr. n.a.; San Francisco, Cal., 1852 *7156 p113*
with wife & children
Horr, Adam Joseph n.a.; Philadelphia, Pa., 1865 *9297 p271*
Horr, Jacob n.a.; Philadelphia, Pa., 1805 *9042 p179*
Horr, Jacob n.a.; Philadelphia, Pa., 1847 *9297 p271*
Horr, Johann Leonhardt n.a.; Philadelphia, Pa., 1768 *9041 p721*
Horr, John n.a.; Philadelphia, Pa., 1850 *9297 p271*
Horra, John n.a.; Philadelphia, Pa., 1860 *9297 p271*
Horrabin, Edward 22; Maryland, 1775 *2128 p153*
Horrabin, Edward 22; Maryland, 1775 *9151 p377*
Horracks, Samuel n.a.; Philadelphia, Pa., 1880 *9297 p271*
Horrad, Sarah n.a.; Virginia, 1663–1679 *943 p112*
Horrard, Jane n.a.; Virginia, 1663–1679 *943 p118*
Horrell, Francis 14; Philadelphia, Pa., 1775 *2128 p127*
Horrell, Francis 14; Philadelphia, Pa., 1775 *9151 p351*
Horres, Dennis n.a.; Montserrat, 1654–1663 *943 p102*
Horreran, Thomas n.a.; Philadelphia, Pa., 1880 *9297 p252*
Horrester, Jacob n.a.; Philadelphia, Pa., 1727 *7820 p53*
Horrester, Jacob n.a.; Philadelphia, Pa., 1727 *9041 p13*

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LOCAL COMMUNITY or SUB-COUNTY UNIT Jefferson COUNTY Montgomery STATE Ohio

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Name of Head of Family	FREE WHITE MALES						FREE WHITE FEMALES					Foreigners not naturalized	Persons engaged in agriculture	Persons engaged in commerce	Persons engaged in manufacturing	SLAVES	FREE COLORED MALES				FREE COLORED FEMALES			
	under 10 yrs. of age	10 and under 16	Between 16 and 18 yrs.	Between 16 and 26 yrs.	Between 26 and 45 yrs.	Of 45 yrs. and upwards	under 10 yrs. of age	10 and under 16	Between 16 and 26 yrs.	Between 26 and 45 yrs.	Of 45 yrs. and upwards.						under 14 yrs.	Between 14 & 26	Between 26 & 45	of 45 yrs. & upwards.	under 14 yrs.	Between 14 & 26	Between 26 & 45	of 45 yrs. & upwards.
Jacob Herring ?	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	—	1	—	1	—	1									

1830 Census Part I

LOCAL COMMUNITY or SUB-COUNTY UNIT Athens Twp. COUNTY Harrison STATE Ohio

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PART I OF SCHEDULE

NAME OF HEAD OF FAMILY	FREE WHITE PERSONS (including heads of Families)												
	MALES												
	under 5 yrs. of age	of 5 and under 10	of 10 and under 15	of 15 and under 20	of 20 and under 30	of 30 and under 40	of 40 and under 50	of 50 and under 60	of 60 and under 70	of 70 and under 80	of 80 and under 90	of 90 and under 100	of 100 and upwards
Daniel Horning	2	1	—	—	—	1							

NAME OF HEAD OF FAMILY	FREE WHITE PERSONS (including heads of Families)												
	FEMALES												
	under 5 yrs. of age	of 5 and under 10	of 10 and under 15	of 15 and under 20	of 20 and under 30	of 30 and under 40	of 40 and under 50	of 50 and under 60	of 60 and under 70	of 70 and under 80	of 80 and under 90	of 90 and under 100	of 100 and upwards
Daniel Horning	1	1	—	—	1								

1840 Census Part I

LOCAL COMMUNITY or SUB-COUNTY UNIT Flatrock COUNTY Henry STATE Ohio

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PART I OF SCHEDULE

Flatrock Twp - separate

Richland →

NAME OF HEAD OF FAMILY	FREE WHITE PERSONS (including heads of Families)																									
	MALES													FEMALES												
	under 5 yrs. of age	of 5 and under 10	of 10 and under 15	of 15 and under 20	of 20 and under 30	of 30 and under 40	of 40 and under 50	of 50 and under 60	of 60 and under 70	of 70 and under 80	of 80 and under 90	of 90 and under 100	of 100 and upwards	under 5 yrs. of age	of 5 and under 10	of 10 and under 15	of 15 and under 20	of 20 and under 30	of 30 and under 40	of 40 and under 50	of 50 and under 60	of 60 and under 70	of 70 and under 80	of 80 and under 90	of 90 and under 100	of 100 and upwards
Peter Hornig	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	1									1					1				
Daniel Hornig	-	1	-	-	-	1								1	1			1								
Charles Hornig	-	-	-	1																						

no slaves

1850 Census

LOCAL COMMUNITY or SUB-COUNTY UNIT Pleasant Twp. COUNTY Henry STATE Ohio

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ENUMERATOR Wm B. Brownell ENUMERATOR DATE (printed) 29 DEC

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Dwelling House Numbered in order of visitation	Family numbered in the order of visitation	The name of every Person whose usual place of abode on the first day of June, 1850, was in this family	Description			Profession, Occupation or Trade of each Male Person over 15 years of age	Value of Real Estate owned	Place of Birth naming the State, Territory or Country	Married within the year	Attended school within the year	Persons over 20 unable to read & write	Whether deaf & dumb, blind, insane, idiotic, pauper or convict
			Age	Sex	COLOR							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
574	582	Charles Hornig	27	M	W	Tavern Keeper	600	Germany				
		Catherine	25	F	W			Germany				
		Christian	5	M	W			Ohio				
		Jacob	1	M	W			Ohio				
575	583	Peter Horning	65	M	W	Farmer	—	Germany				
		Margaret	66	F	W			Germany				
576	584	Henry Scholl	34	M	W	Farmer	500	Germany				
		Margaret	24	F	W			Germany				
1844		Peter	6	M	W			Ohio				
		Catherine	3	F	W			"				
		Mary	4/12	F	W			"				
577	585	Peter Horning	37	M	W	Farmer		Germany				
		Motlena	35					"				
		Catherine	17					"				
		Daniel	15					"				
		Margaret	14					Ohio				
		Charles	12					"				
		Henry	8					"				
		Elizabeth	4					"				

1860 Census

LOCAL COMMUNITY or SUB-COUNTY UNIT Flat Rock COUNTY Henry STATE Ohio

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Dwelling House Numbered in order of visitation	Family numbered in the order of visitation	The name of every Person whose usual place of abode on the first day of June, 1860, was in this family.	Description: Age	Description: Sex	Description: COLOR: White Black Mulatto	Profession, Occupation or Trade of each Male Person over 15 years of age.	Value of Real Estate Owned	Value of Personal Property Owned	Place of Birth naming the State, Territory or Country.	Married within the year.	Attended school within the year	Persons over 20 unable to read and write	Whether deaf & dumb, blind, insane, idiotic, pauper or convict
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
131	125	Peter Stauber	54			Farmer	1500	300	Nassau				
		Peter "	28			Laborer			"				
		Elizabeth "	16						(Braustadt)				
132	126	Jacob Horning	50			Farmer	800	200	Prussia				
		Mary "	52						Braustadt				
		Catherine	20			House Laborer			Braustadt				
		Jacob	15						Braustadt				

1860 Census

LOCAL COMMUNITY or SUB-COUNTY UNIT Pleasant Twp. COUNTY Henry STATE Ohio

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ENUMERATOR _____ ENUMERATOR DATE (printed) 21 July

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did not read all of Henry Co.

Dwelling House Numbered in order of visitation	Family numbered in the order of visitation	The name of every Person whose usual place of abode on the first day of June, 1860, was in this family. — FAINT FILM	Description: Age	Description: Sex	Description: White / Black / Mulatto	Profession, Occupation or Trade of each Male Person over 15 years of age.	Value of Real Estate Owned	Value of Personal Property Owned	Place of Birth naming the State, Territory or Country.	Married within the year.	Attended school within the year	Persons over 20 unable to read and write	Whether deaf & dumb, blind, insane, idiotic, pauper or convict
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
106	87	Charles Horning	37		✓	Farmer	2500	400	Bavaria				
		Catherine "	35						Ohio ??				
		Christian "	10						Ohio				
		Jacob "	11						"				
		Catherine "	9						"				
		John "	7						"				
		Margaret "	4						"				
		Charles "	1						"				
107	88	Mathew "	47	F	✓	FARMER	500	50	Bavaria				
		Henry "	18						Ohio				
		Elizabeth	13										
		Mathew	10	F									
		Caroline	7	F									
108	89	David Horning	25		✓	Farmer	50	50	Bavaria				
		Caroline "	20						Ohio				
		Charley "	1	M									

1870 Census

LOCAL COMMUNITY or SUB-COUNTY UNIT Pleasant Twp COUNTY Henry STATE Ohio

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Enumerator Dist. No. _____ Stamped or Printed Page No. _____

ENUMERATOR _____ ENUMERATOR DATE (printed) 25 July Supervisor Dist. No. _____ Date Census Taken _____

Dwelling houses No. in the order of visitation	Families numbered in the order of visitation	The name of every person whose place of abode on the first day of June, 1870 was in this family	Description: Age at last birthday if under 1 yr. give mos. in fractions	Description: Sex-Males (M) Females (F)	Description: Color: White-W, Black-B Mulatto-M, Chinese-C, Indian-I	Profession, Occupation, or Trade of each person, male or female	Value of Real Estate owned: Value of Real Estate	Value of Real Estate owned: Value of Personal Property	Place of Birth, naming the State or Territory of U.S. or the Country if of foreign birth	Parentage: Father of foreign birth	Parentage: Mother of foreign birth	If born within the year state month (Jan, Feb, etc.)	If married within the yr. state month (Jan, Feb, etc.)	Attended school within the year	Education: Cannot read	Education: Cannot write	Whether deaf and dumb, blind, insane or idiotic	Constitutional Relation: Male citizen of U.S. of 21 yrs. & upwards	Constitutional Relation: Male citizen of U.S. of 21 yrs. & upwards whose right to vote is denied or abridged on other grounds than rebellion or other crime
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
21	21	Charles Hornung	45			Farmer	15,000	2,000	Bavaria										
		Catherine	46						"										
		Jacob	21			farm laborer			Ohio										
		Catherine	19						"										
		John H	17			at home			"										
		Margaret	15																
		Peter	9																
		Charles	7																
23	23	Henry Schall	54			farming	2000	575	Westreich										
		Margaret	44						Bavaria										
		Peter	25			farm laborer			Ohio										
		Elizabeth	17																
		Margaret	15																
		Sarah	7																
		Magdalene Hornung		56		keeps House	600	300	Bavaria										
		Henry	27			shoemaker													
		Magdalene	20																
		Caroline	17																

Pleasant Twp - Huron 1870

Daniel Hornung - 34 farmer 800-300 - Bavaria
Caroline 30 - b. Ohio
Charles A - 10 "
Philip H - 9 "
Peter L - 7 "
Elizabeth 4 "
Daniel W - 1 - "

1868 Henry Co, Ohio

104-169 Joseph Hörning 1
Germany Carpenter
1000-2
Catherine 5-8? - Ger
Barbara 19 "
John 14 "
Catherine 9 "

Flatrock Twp - Henry 1860
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132-126 - Jacob Horning 50 - Farmer
800-200
Prussia

1880
Mary 52 Dranstadt
Catherine 20 - House laborer - Dran
Jacob 15 - Dran

131-125 Peter Stauber 54 - Farmer
1000 - 300 Nassau
Peter 7/28 laborer
Elizabeth 16 Dranstadt

1860
15
45

1880 - Washtenaw Co., Michigan
Manchester - Mich -
186 Jacob Horning 26 - just married
Carrie 24 - Wrestenbr - W.W.
190 - Jacob Horning 49 - W.W.W
Mary 47 W.W.W
Caroline 6 — Mich
John 13 Wilhelm

stopped Pittsfield
E D 235 - p 237

1870 Jefferson Co., KS. KAW Township

p 391
16-21 John G. Horning 36 farmer $3000. — $2,000.
b. Whitenberg

Mary 32 b. Hessen-Onlsted
George 8 b. KS
Henry 6 "
Matilda 3 "
Frederick 11 b. NY

19-24 George Horning 37 farmer $4000 — $15.00
b. Germany

Mary A. 28 Germany
Mary F. 5 KS
Lida 1 "
John 8 adopted KS

1870 Johnson Co. KS. Oxford Twnsp.

87-189 Joshua Cook 40 farmer $1400. — $275. b. IN.
Charles Horning 42 " ____ $600. Canada
Lucinda 28 b. IA
Emma 2 KS

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493 Marmaton twsp 1870 Bourbon Co. KS
William Horning 36 $11,000 — $300 PA
Anna 35 — PA
Abraham 13 AL
John C 11 "
Rebecca 10 "
Hannah 6
Anna May 2

1880 Census Part I

LOCAL COMMUNITY or SUB-COUNTY UNIT JEFFERSON TWNSP. COUNTY DICKINSON STATE KANSAS

Written Page No. 3

Enumerator Dist. No. 64

Stamped or Printed Page No.

ENUMERATOR BEN W. PECK ENUMERATOR DATE (printed)

Supervisor Dist. No. 3

Date Census Taken JUNE 2, 1880

PART I OF SCHEDULE

IN CITIES					DESCRIPTION					CIVIL CONDITION							HEALTH					
Name of Street	House Number	Dwelling Houses No. in order of visitation	Families numbered in the order of visitation	The name of every person whose place of abode on the first day of June, 1880, was with this family.	COLOR: White-W Black-B, Mulatto-M Chinese-C, Indian-I	SEX: Males-M Females-F	Age at last birthday, if under 1 yr. give mos. in fractions	If born in census yr. give month.	Relationship of each person to the head of this family, whether wife, son, servant, boarder or other.	Single	Married	Widowed/Divorced	Married during census year.	Profession, Occupation, or Trade of each person, male or female	Number of months this person has been unemployed during census year.	Is the person (on the day of the enumerators visit) sick or temporarily disabled so as to be unable to attend to ordinary business or duties? If so, what is the sickness or disability?	Blind	Deaf and Dumb	Idiotic	Insane	Maimed, crippled, bedridden or otherwise disabled
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
		20	20	JACOB HORNING	W	M	40				✓			FARMER							
				LOUISA C.	W	F	37		WIFE					KEEPS HOUSE							
				JOHN	W	M	16		SON					FARM HAND							
				CHRISTIAN	W	M	14		SON					FARM HAND							
				GEORGE	W	M	13		SON					FARM HAND							
				CHARLES	W	M	12		SON					FARM HAND							
				MARY L. C.	W	F	10		DAU.												
				MARTHA	W	F	8		DAU.												
				JACOB H.	W	M	6		SON												
			*	MARY M	W	F	4		DAU												

1880 Census Part II

LOCAL COMMUNITY or SUB-COUNTY UNIT Jefferson Twsp. COUNTY Dickinson STATE Kansas

Written Page No. 3

Enumerator Dist. No. 64

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ENUMERATOR Ben W. Peck ENUMERATOR DATE (printed)

Supervisor Dist. No. 3

Date Census Taken June 2, 1880

PART II OF SCHEDULE

Attended school during the census year	Cannot read	Cannot write	Place of birth of this person naming state or territory of United States or the country if of foreign birth.	Place of birth of the father of this person	Place of birth of the mother of this person	
21	22	23	24	25	26	
			Wurttemberg	"	"	(Germany)
			"	"	"	"
/			Ohio	"	"	"
/			"	"	"	"
/			"	"	"	"
/			"	"	"	"
/			"	"	"	"
/			"	"	"	"
			"	"	"	"
			"	"	"	" (Mary Matilda Hotmuz born Mar. 19, 1876 Eden, Ohio married Benjamin Musz born May 14, 1877 Liberty Township, Dickinson County, Kansas. V.J.'s notes)

Dear Vivian;

You wrote to me a long time ago! I have just gotten this winter off to catch up on genealogy research and correspondence.

I am enclosing what I have on my Hornings.....hope you succeed in your research!

Kathie Deschaine Horning
1665 Hartland Woods Drive
Howell, Michigan 48843-9044

email:

bacardi@hotmail.com

Kathie

Sent Email
23 Feb '98
'Studying Shuter
back w/ you later

NOTE:
X = Direct Ancestor
✓ = LDS Temple Ord. Compl.

FAMILY UNIT CHART

Hornings
1665 Hartland Woods Dr
Howell, MI 48843-9044

PREPARED BY Kathie Deschaine Horning DATE Sept 1990

HUSBAND HORNUNG, Johann Michael OCCUPATION ANCESTRAL CHART # FAMILY UNIT #

	DATE – DAY, MONTH, YEAR	CITY	COUNTY	STATE or COUNTRY	
Born	3 July 1767	Kirchentenninsfurt	Wurt	Germany	LDS# 1457459, 1457458
Christened					
Married	14 June 1792	same	same	same	
Died	30 December 1833	same	same	same	
Buried					

FATHER Johannes Hornung
MOTHER Anna Barbara Fechter

OTHER WIVES:

WIFE maiden name WALKER, Maria Margaretha

Born	15 September 1771	Kirchentellinsfurt	Wurt	Germany
Christened				
Died	4 February 1862	same	same	same
Buried				

FATHER WALKER, Martin
MOTHER WINKLER, Friderika

OTHER HUSBANDS:

X ✓	SEX M/F	CHILDREN Living, Adopted, Dead—In Order of Birth	BIRTH Day Month Year	BIRTHPLACE City	County	St./Cty.	DATE OF FIRST MARRIAGE Name of Spouse	DATE OF DEATH City County State/Country
***	M	1 Johann Michael	27 Dec 1792	Kirch	Wurt	Grmy	Regina Ott 29 Nov 1815	27 March 1845
	M	2 Johannes	5 Aug 1795	same			23 Oct 1832	
	M	3 Martin	at birth					at birth
	M	4 Christoph Martin	21 Sept 1799				XXXXXXXXX	1861
	F	5 Christina	21 Oct 1801				5 May 1829	
	F	6 Katharina Barbara	10 Jan 1804				5 May 1825	
	F	7 Friderika	25 Oct 1806				4 Sept 1833	
	M	8 George	26 Sept 1809					22 August 1810
	F	9 Anna Maria	7 Sept 1811				18 Sept 1837	
	M	10 George Jeramias	29 Apr 1814				3 Nov 1839	
		11						
		12						
		13						
		14						

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Hornings
1665 Hartland Woods Dr
Howell, MI 48843-9044

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FAMILY UNIT CHART

PREPARED BY Kathleen Deschaine Horning DATE August 1990

HUSBAND HORNUNG, Johann Michael

OCCUPATION

ANCESTRAL CHART #

FAMILY UNIT #

	DATE – DAY, MONTH, YEAR	CITY	COUNTY	STATE or COUNTRY	
Born	27 December 1792	Kirchentellinsfurt, W	Wurtemburg	Germany	LDS Microfilm #1457459
Christened					
Married	29 November 1815	Same	same	same	
Died	27 March 1845	Same	same	same	
Buried					

FATHER Johann Michael Hornung
MOTHER Maria Margaretha Walker

OTHER WIVES:

WIFE maiden name OTT, Regina

Born	27 June 1795	Kirchentellinsfurt	Wurt	Germany	came to America 28 April 1857
Christened					
Died	9 Nov 1879	MANCHESTER	WASHTENAW	MICHIGAN	
Buried					

FATHER Conrad Ott
MOTHER Magdalena Walker

OTHER HUSBANDS:

X ✓	SEX M/F	CHILDREN Living, Adopted, Dead—In Order of Birth	BIRTH Day Month Year	BIRTHPLACE City	County	St./Cty.	DATE OF FIRST MARRIAGE Name of Spouse	DATE OF DEATH City County State/Country
	M	1 Johann Michael	6 Feb 1816	Kirch	Wurt	Grmy	Anna Fromm	
	F	2 Magdalena	23 July 1818	Kirch	Wurt	Grmy		maybe 1835
	F	3 Anna Maria	18 Sept 1820	Kirch	Wurt	Grmy		10 January 1833
	M	4 Conrad	17 Sept 1822	Kirch	Wurt	Grmy		25 September 1829
	F	5 Christina	31 May 1825	Kirch	Wurt	Grmy		1 February 1837
	M	6 Johannes	2 Feb 1828	Kirch	Wurt	Grmy		2 May 1837
**	M	7 Jacob	20 Aug 1830	Kirch	Wurt	Grmy	Maria Dorthea Schumacher	20 Dec 1903 Jackson, MI
	F	8 Regina	23 Sept 1833	Kirch	Wurt	Grmy	[illegible]	10 June 1850
	M	9 Conrad	19 May 1836	Kirch	Wurt	Grmy		15 July 1851
		10 [illegible]	[illegible]	from Albert D		Engl-sh		8 JAN 1854 drowned
		11						
		12						
		13						
		14						

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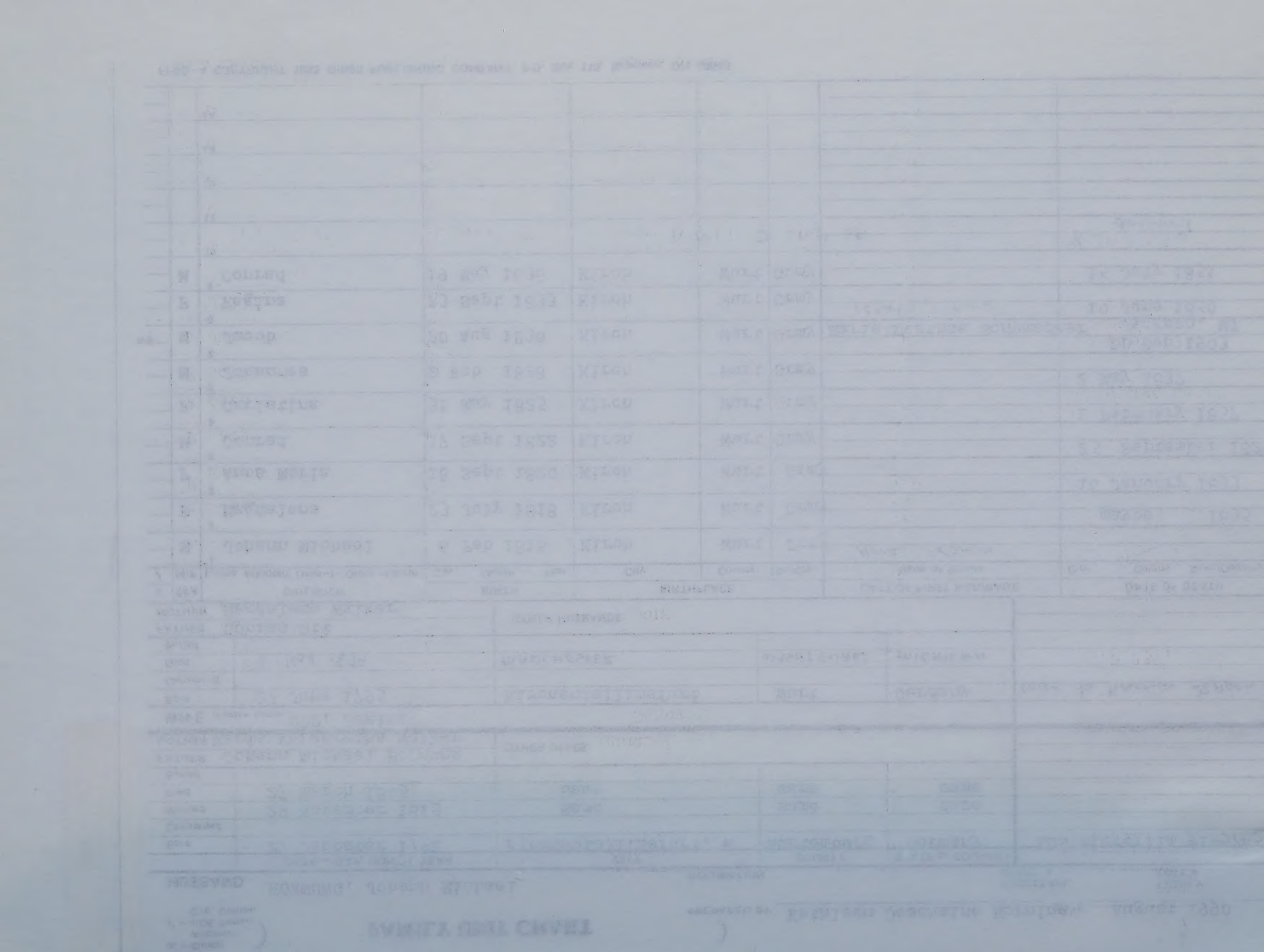

Hornings
1665 Hartland Woods Dr
Howell, MI 48843-9044

NOTE:
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FAMILY UNIT CHART

PREPARED BY _____ DATE _____

HUSBAND Jacob HORNING OCCUPATION farmer ANCESTRAL CHART # FAMILY UNIT #

	DATE – DAY, MONTH, YEAR	CITY	COUNTY	STATE or COUNTRY	
Born	20 August 1830	KIRCHENTELLINSFURT,	Wurtemburg	Germany	Immg 1853
Christened					
Married	1850			Germany	
Died	20 December 1903	Jackson	Jxn	Michigan	
Buried	Manchester-Oak Grove Cemetery				

FATHER Michael Horning
MOTHER Jennie- Oak Grove b. 1796
OTHER WIVES: none d. Nov 7, 1879

WIFE maiden name Mary Dora (Maria Dorthea) Schumaker

Born	Sept 1832			Germany	
Christened					
Died	2 August 1909	Manchester	Washtenaw	Michigan	WCC Vol3, P 237, Line 343
Buried	Manchester-Oak Grove				

FATHER Jacob Schumaker
MOTHER Mary Froelich
OTHER HUSBANDS: none

X / ✓	SEX M/F	CHILDREN Living, Adopted, Dead—In Order of Birth	BIRTH Day	Month	Year	BIRTHPLACE City	County	St./Cty.	DATE OF FIRST MARRIAGE Name of Spouse	DATE OF DEATH City	County	State/Country
—	M	1 JACOB Horning			1851		Wurtbg	Grmy	Caroline S Haffee ~~m. 1866~~ JAN 15, 1880 1875 V5, p176 WCC → NOV. 11	22 MAR 1935		
—	F	2 LIZZIE Horning			1858			PA.	Jacob Niebling 1891 V7 p 79 WCC			
—	F	3 Emma Christina Horning	28 Feb		1861			PA	George H. Stringham 1892 V 7 p 98WCC			
—	F	4 Mary Horning			1862			PA				
—	F	5 Caroline Horning	5 OCT		1863			MI	28 AUG 1883 Joseph Vogelbacher	1915 Oak Grove Cmtry		
—	F	6 Sophia Horning	27 Feb		1866			MI	~~Jacob Walz~~ ~~22 Nov 1892~~			
XX	M	7 John Horning (Johannes)	20 March		1867			MI	Clara K Rauser V7, p98 WCC 1907	18 Sept 1958 Jackson, MI		
—	M	8 William Horning	26 Dec.		1869			MI				
—		9										
—		10										
—		11										
—		12										
—		13										
—		14										

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1885 Dickinson Co, KA.

Chryst. Horning - 150 acres -

(no other Horning)

Jefferson Twnsp - New Basel -

German Reformed Chu. Turkey Creek 80 men

German Baptist Ebenezer 50 members.

~~[illegible] Twnsp~~ - Lyona - Dickinson Co. KA.

~~[illegible]~~ John Musz -

Mrs. 45

John C. 24

1885 Census KA. - Dickenson Co. -

Jefferson ~~Twp~~ - New Basel

#17 pg 10? -

Jacob Horning 46 farmer ~~Ger~~ Ger.
Carolyn 42
Jim 20 (m) - ~~farmer~~ Oh
Christ 18 (m) ~~farmer~~ Oh
George 17
Charles 16
Carolyn 15
Martha 13
Henry 11
?
?
?

45 acres fenced
55 not "
200 acres
$1 7000. w/ improve
640 acres hedged fence
400 " wire fences
55 " wheat
95 " corn
5 " oats
1 " Irish potatoes.

1500 bu. corn gathered by
March 1, 1885
600 bu wheat
400 lbs. butter

85 hogs
fruit trees
dogs

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who knew him. Possessing as he did fine natural abilities as well as those qualities which constitute the true man and valuable citizen, it was not difficult for him to win the esteem and admiration of those about him. A hard worker, he amassed a property which left his family comfortable. Although he died so many years ago his memory is tenderly cherished, and his many excellent qualities remembered to this day. He came of an old and honored family, and although his days were few he never failed to uphold its dignity and to live up to the high standards set by those who went before him.

JOHN Y. GULDIN, son of the late Abraham and Sarah B. (Yoder) Guldin, is a prominent farmer of Oley township, born Oct. 24, 1863. He was reared upon the homestead, attending school in the neighborhood and learning farming under his father's care. Later he had the advantage of a course at the Oley Academy. In 1888 he began farming on his own account upon his grandfather's farm, which then was the property of his mother. Mr. Guldin now owns the Wright farm which he purchased in 1898. It is located one mile north of the "Yellow House" property and consists of 121 acres of excellent land. The stone residence upon it, erected by M. Roberts in 1769, is a large house and so substantially built that it is much to be preferred to a new structure. On this property is a spring house which was built in 1716 by a pioneer of Oley township. It is 20x16 feet and two stories high. The barn is considerably more than one hundred years old, and like the house is very substantial. The farm is well stocked, Mr. Guldin keeping seven horses and seventeen head of cattle. He uses the latest improved machinery and methods in his farming and is very successful in his work.

John Y. Guldin married in 1883 Hannah Botts, daughter of William and Mary (Smith) Botts, of Earl township. Their children are: Mary, Annie Lucretia, Susan Melissa, Charlotte Agnes, Abraham, John, Alice Katie, Theodore and Hannah Elda.

Mr. Guldin is a Republican and has held many of the local offices. He and his family are members of Salem Oley Reformed Church, of which he has been deacon for four years. Socially he is a member of Manatawny Castle, K. G. E. Progressive, public-spirited, a good citizen and conscientious man, Mr. Guldin inspires fullest confidence and is one of the substantial farmers of Oley township.

DAVID Y. GULDIN, son of the late Abraham and Sarah B. (Yoder) Guldin, was born May 31, 1866, on the old Guldin homestead in Oley township, Berks county, and was educated in the public schools of his native township and the Oley Academy. On Sept. 26, 1885, he was married to Miss Emma Louisa A. Specht. This union was blessed with seven children, all daughters: Sallie, Olivia, Edna, Mabel, Edwina, Minnie, and one that died in infancy. David Y. Guldin was the owner of a nice farm in Earl township, where he lived for some time. There his wife died six years ago, after which he sold out and made his home with his aged mother, and began working for the Long Distance Telephone Company. He worked several years for that company, later engaging with the Postal Telegraph Company, in whose service he was killed. He was working on a high pole, when accidentally he came in contact with a live wire which gave him a shock, holding him in mid-air for about five minutes, after which he fell on a second wire some distance below. His head struck the curb, crushing his skull, and he died twenty-four hours later at the Delaware Hospital, Wilmington. He was a member of Manatawny Castle, No. 461, K. G. E., and of Minnehaha Lodge, K. P., of Friedensburg, and of the Oley Reformed Church.

GEORGE Y. GULDIN, son of the late Abraham Guldin, and brother of John Y. Guldin, resides upon the farm where he was born July 4, 1877. He was reared upon this farm and attended the public schools. His father dying when he was only three months old, Mr. Guldin was brought up by his mother and has always been her right-hand man. In 1902 he began farming for himself, and now cultivates the family homestead of 104 acres, which under his care is a very fine property. The residence upon it was erected by his grandfather, John Guldin, in 1867, and the barn was put up in 1855. This farm has a good spring that has never gone dry, and its water is recognized as excellent throughout the township. Mrs. Guldin still uses the old family dinner gong to summon her husband and his men from the fields. These gongs are becoming very valuable on account of their scarcity. This particular one is specially good and strong, and was forged at Sprang's forge a little over one hundred years ago. It can be heard distinctly for a distance of three and one-quarter miles. Another much prized heirloom in the possession of Mr. Guldin is an old grandfather clock which is also over one hundred years old and came from the Yoder side of the family.

In 1898 George Y. Guldin was married to Mary Conrad, of Oley township, and they have one son, Lester C. Mr. Guldin is a member of the K. of P. lodge at Manatawny, Oley post-office, and the P. O. S. of A. Camp of Oley township. In politics he is an independent Republican. He and his family belong to the Oley Reformed Church.

Like other members of this old and honorable family Mr. George Y. Guldin is much esteemed in his neighborhood and is considered one of the representative men of his township.

HORNING. For nearly two centuries the Horning family has been residing in this section of Pennsylvania, and members in each generation have been active in the work of the Mennonite Church, and all have led God-fearing, upright lives. Among those who today are active in mercantile or agricultural life may be mentioned Jeremiah Horning, his brother John Horning, and, in the younger generation, John B., Isaac Z. and Aaron Horning.

(I) Bentz Horning was the first of the family in Berks county. He came from Germany early in the eighteenth century, and with his son Paul settled in what is now Brecknock township. He had two sons, Michael and Paul. Of these, Michael settled at the Trappe, in Montgomery county, and his son John lived in Huntingdon county, where he owned a large farm. Gilbert Horning, son of John, was born at Rebecca Forge in 1820, and lived on the homestead all his life, becoming a man of affairs, and prominent in public work, serving as director of the poor; he married Elizabeth Beightal, and had children: John (a minister of the Central Pennsylvania Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church), Gilbert C. (a bookkeeper for the Reading Iron Company, Reading) and William D. (born July 3, 1847, an attorney in Berks, director of the poor for three years, married Laura J. Shaffer, of Reading, and has one child, Mary E.).

(II) Paul Horning, son of Bentz, accompanied his father from the Fatherland, and settled in Brecknock township, then a part of Lancaster county. He owned a tract of land at Alleghenyville, which is now the property of Jeremiah Hoshour. He was a farmer and windmill (fan-mill) maker. Both he and his wife Margaret are buried at the Allegheny meeting-house, and their graves are marked with rough sandstones, but the inscriptions are no longer decipherable. He died in 1831, when well advanced in years. His children were: Polly; Kate; Daniel, who died unmarried; Wendel, who lived above Reamstown, and is buried at Mohler's meeting-house; Samuel, who lived for some time in Maryland, but later returned to Pennsylvania, and died in Lancaster county; Joseph; Nancy; Sally, who married Isaac Powell, of Lancaster; and Susan, who married Charles Heiffler.

(III) Joseph Horning, son of Paul, was born May 9, 1798. He made his home in Brecknock township, along the Allegheny creek, where he owned a small tract of land. He was a wagoner by trade, and followed that line nearly all his life in connection with farming. He was very well known, was highly esteemed, and was a consistent follower of the Mennonite faith. He died Jan. 25, 1876, aged seventy-seven years, eight months, sixteen days, and his remains rest in the cemetery at the Allegheny meeting-house. He married Fannie Mosser, who was born July 22, 1803, and who died Jan. 24, 1889, in

her eighty-sixth year. Their five children—two sons and three daughters—were: Rev. Benjamin; Esther, who married Joseph Shirk, of Spring Grove, Pa.; Nancy, who married Peter Lichty, of Churchtown, Pa.; Moses, of Bowmansville; and Fannie, born Sept. 30, 1830, who married Henry Gehman, of Adamstown, and is the only one now living, at the present time making her home with her son.

(IV) Rev. Benjamin Horning, son of Joseph, was born on his father's farm Feb. 22, 1824, and his death occurred Nov. 3, 1903. He passed his entire life in the one neighborhood, making his home on a tract of forty acres he owned near the Allegheny Church, and which is now owned by his son Aaron. From his father he learned the wagoner's trade, which he followed continuously until 1890, when he gave up his business that he might devote his entire time to the service of the Master. He was ordained to the ministry of the Mennonite Church in 1862. His ministerial work was largely confined to the churches of Alleghenyville, Berks county; Adamstown; Gehman's Church; and Bowmansville, Lancaster county. In his younger days he was often called to preach the word to other congregations, and he frequently officiated at funerals of friends of other denominations. Occasionally he preached in the Allegheny Union Church to Lutheran and Reformed people. His funeral, attended by a large concourse of friends, was held in that church. He was possessed of a high sense of honor, and was beloved by all who knew him. In the pulpit he was an able and fluent speaker, one whose earnestness and sincerity were never questioned. He married Luzetta Ziemer, born Nov. 8, 1824, died Nov. 16, 1900, daughter of Jeremiah and Polly (Westley) Ziemer, well-known farming people of Brecknock township. To Rev. Benjamin and Mrs. Horning were born thirteen children, namely: Augustus, a farmer near Bowmansville, Pa.; John, mentioned below; Joseph, a farmer near Bowmansville, who died in 1898; Jeremiah, mentioned in full farther on; Susan, who married Martin Newswanger, of Goodville, Pa.; Mary, who died in young womanhood; Fannie, who died young; Sarah, who married John Shirk, of Philadelphia; Benjamin, who died in infancy; Lizzie, who married Monroe Good, of Bowmansville; Isaac Z., full mention of whom is made later; Katie, who married Christian Martin, of Terre Hill, Pa.; and Aaron, who resides on the old homestead at Alleghenyville, mentioned below.

(V) John Horning, son of Rev. Benjamin, was born near Alleghenyville, Nov. 3, 1849, and was reared to manhood on the farm. He obtained a limited education in the township school, which he left at an early age. When twenty years old he started out for himself, for two years working on a farm in Lancaster county. In 1872 he was married, and after that for a while worked at day's labor, but again took up farming, which he successfully carried on nine years. At the end of that time he purchased a forty-acre tract in Paradise township, Lancaster county, which he operated for six years. Forming a partnership with H. E. Musser in 1889, under the name of Musser & Horning, he engaged in the hardware and implement business at Kinzers, a venture that proved very successful and was continued for eleven years. The partnership was then dissolved, and Mr. Horning took entire charge. A year later he sold the implement business to his former partner, but the hardware line he retained, and this he improved, adding to the stock, and meeting the growing demands of the trade. He prospered in his work, but because of a good offer made him by the McCormick Harvesting Machine Company he discontinued the business, and moved to Lancaster, Pa., where he has a comfortable home. While Mr. Horning was yet associated in business with Mr. Musser he did most of the traveling in the interest of the firm, and in this way obtained a thorough knowledge of the implement business. Since 1900 he has given all his time and energy to the interests of the McCormick Company. His territory includes twelve counties in Pennsylvania, Virginia and Maryland. His success is due to his thorough knowledge of the business and his upright principles. On Jan. 30, 1872, he married Hettie A. Good, who was born in Leacock township, Lancaster county, Nov. 24, 1848, daughter of Isaac H. and Hettie (Hurst) Good. Both Mr. and Mrs. Horning adhere to the Mennonite faith.

(V) Jeremiah Horning, son of Rev. Benjamin and brother of John, was born April 7, 1853, and was reared upon his father's farm, remaining at home until he was twenty years of age. He then married and engaged in trucking on the old Henry Westley farm of twenty acres, where he remained two years. In the centennial year he moved upon his present property, which he then bought, and engaged in butchering, farming and trucking on a large scale. While butchering, which he continued for a period of fifteen years, he killed on an average six steers a week, and had two teams on the road, besides attending the Reading market three times a week. Three hired men were kept constantly at work, and much was accomplished under Mr. Horning's able supervision.

In 1900 Mr. Horning became engaged in the lumbering business, and since then has had two portable sawmills in operation, cutting down timber and sawing the logs for market. In this connection he has some half dozen people employed. In 1888 he engaged in mercantile business in Alleghenyville, and this he carried on until 1904, when, he turned it over to his son John B., who now conducts it. For about ten years he has been engaged in cattle dealing, handling as many as one thousand head per annum.

Mr. Horning is the founder of Alleghenyville, and he had all the buildings of the village erected with the exception of the church and the school-house. Most of the town is built on land belonging to him. He is the foremost man in the township, and has done more for the community than any other one man. His farm consists of 100 acres of good land, and he had a well drilled 500 feet from his buildings, 127 feet deep, which furnishes the best of water for his family as well as his stock. In politics he is a Republican, has been delegate to county conventions, and was the first postmaster at Alleghenyville, also serving as school director for six years. He was one of the liberal contributors to the Allegheny Church, erected in 1878, and he and his family are all faithful Mennonites.

On March 8, 1873, Jeremiah Horning was married to Sarah Beam, born June 29, 1853, daughter of Richard and Salome (Kern) Beam, of Bowmansville. To this union were born seven sons and five daughters: Mary married Isaac Griffith, of Alleghenyville; Samuel married Mary Schnader, and resides in Philadelphia; Lucy married Raymond Fritz, of Reamstown; Alice married James Hornberger, of Reading; John B. married Lillie M. Kachel, and is a merchant at Alleghenyville; Sallie died in her third year; Benjamin died in infancy; Harry B. is a mechanic at Cleveland, Ohio; and Irwin, Abel, Annie V. and Walter are all at home.

(V) Isaac Z. Horning, son of Rev. Benjamin and brother of Jeremiah, was born Oct. 18, 1868, and was reared with his brothers and sisters on the home farm, attending the district schools until he was fifteen years old. He assisted in the work of the home farm until 1886, when he began working for his brother Jeremiah as butcher and farm hand. Here he continued for eight years, for the last three being chief butcher. In 1897 he bought out the business, and since then has attended the Reading market twice a week in the winter and three times in the summer. He has stalls Nos. 60-61 at the Bingaman street market, where he enjoys a large patronage. He kills on an average five or six steers a week during the entire year. Besides his market trade he runs a wagon throughout the county. His reputation is of the best, and he conducts his business on honorable principles. Like all his family he is a Mennonite in religious faith, attending the church in which his father was for so many years the minister. In politics he is a Republican, and since 1899 has efficiently served as school director, for one year being secretary of the board.

On Dec. 11, 1886, Isaac Z. Horning was married to Ellen Yelk, daughter of John and Jestina (Trait) Yelk, the former a farmer and blacksmith in Brecknock township. To this union have come two children: Katie, who married Rudy M. Matz, of Alleghenyville; and Lewis Y., who is assisting his father, and who is married to Sallie Matz.

(VI) JOHN B. HORNING, son of Jeremiah, was born Oct. 24, 1882. His early education was obtained in the township schools, and he later attended Perkiomen Seminary, from which he graduated in 1902, being among the first ten in class of fifty and one of the commencement speakers. He was a prominent athlete, being captain of the class track team in his senior year and a member of the relay team which carried off first honors at the University of Pennsylvania relay races. In the fall of 1899 he began teaching in his native township, teaching the Remps school two terms, and at Alleghenyville one term. In the spring of 1903 he bought out his father's store at Alleghenyville, and in conducting this has proved he chose wisely when he adopted a mercantile career. He is courteous and obliging, and keeps up a good stock, successfully meeting the wants of his large and increasing custom. He served as assistant postmaster to his father from 1902 to 1905, when the office was discontinued by the establishment of the rural mail route. Mr. Horning is a young man who has earned his prosperity by a close adherence to the high business principles instilled in him by his honored father, and he keeps wide awake to the interests of the community. He was one of the charter members of Knauer Lodge, No. 3052, Knights and Ladies of Honor, organized Sept. 16, 1908, at Knauer's, Pa., and its first financial secretary.

In 1901 John B. Horning was married to Lillie Kachel, daughter of Albert and Maggie (Griffith) Kachel, well known farming people of Brecknock township. Four children have blessed this union, namely: Stanley, Inza, Esther and Elsie. Mr. Horning has been active in the Republican party, has served on the election board, and has been the township committeeman since 1906. He is a Lutheran in religious faith, attending the Allegheny Union Church, and he served as superintendent of the Sunday-school from 1900 to 1907.

(V) AARON HORNING, a truck farmer at Alleghenyville, was born there Oct. 15, 1872, son of Rev. Benjamin and Luzetta Horning. He was reared upon the farm and attended the township schools, after the manner of the farmer boys of that locality. He remained on the home farm assisting his father until 1894, when he began for himself on the old homestead, which consists of forty-seven acres of good truck land. He pays especial attention to trucking and goes to the Reading market once or twice a week, having stand No. 66 at the Bingaman street market. He has met with success in his work, and is hard-working and honest. He and his family are Mennonites, and have their place of worship below Alleghenyville.

Mr. Horning was married in 1893 to Mary Ellen Brendel, who was born Dec. 23, 1871, daughter of Esaias and Eliza (Kline) Brendel, farming people of Brecknock township. They have two sons, Paul, born Nov. 17, 1894, and Howard, born Feb. 11, 1898. Mr. Horning owns the old farm where his father lived and died, while the home of his grandfather stood but a short distance to the southeast.

CONRAD SAMUEL REBER, M. D. Among the prominent members of the medical profession in Berks county, Pa., none is more favorably known in his locality than Dr. Conrad Samuel Reber, whose chosen field of practice is the village of West Reading. Dr. Reber was born Sept. 23, 1876, at Bernville, Berks county, son of William H. and Fyetta (Stoudt) Reber.

John Reber, great-grandfather of Dr. Conrad S., was a farmer of Penn township, where he died in 1860, at the age of eighty-five years, being a son of Valentine Reber, who is buried in the old Union Church cemetery at Bernville. John Reber married Salome Steiner, and they had a family of nine children, namely: Conrad; Elizabeth; Samuel m. Catherine Berger; Eva m. John Christian Berger; Sarah m. Peter Umbenhauer; Christiana m. Daniel Kline; Catherine m. Michael Kline; Polly m. Daniel Schneider; and Molly m. Jacob Kline. John Reber was buried in the old homestead burial ground, still maintained, in which five generations of the family, in a direct line, rest, namely: John, who died in 1860; his son Conrad, his grandson William, his great-grandson John, and his great-great-grandson Robert.

Conrad Reber, grandfather of Dr. Conrad, was a farmer of Penn township, where he was born on the old homestead in 1798, the property being situated along the Northkill, about a mile north of Bernville. He was an active member of the German Baptist (Dunkard) denomination, and in that faith he died in 1872. He m. Susan Hiester, daughter of Daniel Hiester, of Upper Bern township, and they had a family of thirteen children: John m. Caroline Strause; William; Polly m. Joseph Lengel; Daniel m. Catherine Gicker, (second) Elizabeth Smith, and (third) Mary Kerper; Henrietta m. Harrison Stoudt; Elizabeth m. Michael Ebling; Joel; Isaac m. Sarah Stump, and five died young. After the decease of his first wife, Conrad Reber married Caroline Bickel, but no children were born of this union.

William H. Reber, father of Dr. Conrad S., was born in 1831, on the Reber homestead, where he was reared to manhood, and spent his entire life there, dying in 1904. He married Fyetta Stoudt, daughter of William Stoudt, of the same place, and by her had seven children: Harrison m. Carolina Levan; Levi m. Amelia Faust; Franklin m. Lillian Naftzinger; Annie m. Aaron Eckert; Conrad S.; and two died young.

Conrad Samuel Reber received his preliminary education in the local schools, and then attended Juniata College, graduating from the commercial department in 1893, and the general department two years later. Upon his return home, he taught school in Penn township, in the Scull Hill school for three terms, and with this additional preparation he selected the profession of medicine for his vocation, and entered the office of W. G. Beyerle, at Bernville, for the purpose of reading medicine under his instruction. In 1899, he entered Jefferson Medical College, at Philadelphia, and graduated in 1903, when he located at West Reading. Here he has carried on a successful practice to the present time, and in 1905 he erected one of the finest dwellings in the place for his home and office.

Dr. Reber married Tillie E. Ruth, daughter of Edwin G. Ruth.

IRVIN S. BRANT, a prosperous produce commission merchant of Reading, Pa., was born at Sanatoga, Montgomery Co., Pa., Dec. 9, 1869, son of Washington R. and Sarah (Stettler) Brant.

As far as is known, the family is of German descent. The grandfather of Irvin S. Brant was Samuel M. Brant, a farmer of Montgomery county, the farm on which he operated still being in possession of the family, as it has been for one hundred years. The children of Samuel M. Brant and his wife were: Elizabeth m. Henry Boos; Susannah m. Henry Lindman; Mary m. Isaac Truckmiller; Hannah became Mr. Truckmiller's second wife; Joseph; Nathan; Frederick; Samuel, Jr.; and Washington R. In religious belief the family were members of the Dutch Reformed Church.

Washington R. Brant received his education in the schools of Montgomery county, and when a youth learned the milling business. With his brother, Nathan, he conducted a general store for several years, later selling out his interest to engage in farming on the old homestead. Mr. Brant was very prominently connected in Sanatoga, Montgomery county. He and his wife became the parents of eight children, six living: Mary and Rebecca died at ages of nine and eleven years, respectively; Frank is secretary of the North American, Philadelphia; Samuel S. is a farmer of Sanatoga; Newton C. is at home, engaged in farming; Irvin S.; Annie m.

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a man's name "John" in America can be shown as "Johann" or even "Hans." Place names are all spelled as they will be listed in a German gazetteer or located on a German map.

One important fact should be observed when using a modern map of Germany or a map of Wuerttemberg: Within the last twenty years small villages have merged and often a new name was designated. For example, the village of Kaltenwesten in Oberamt Besigheim does not exist on any map or German gazetteer. It can only be located in conunction with the village Neckarwestheim. Therefore, it is advisable to consult older maps in trying to locate a given area.

The original Wuerttemberg emigration records were compiled according to the Oberamt to which the applicant belonged. An Oberamt is roughly equivalent to a district town (or county seat in America).

The country of destination for each emigrant is given and regions such as Maehren (Moravia), Siebenbuergen (Transylvania), Rumaenian (Romania), Sudetenland and Czechoslovakia, which were all part of the Austrian empire, are designated as Austria. The acutal emigration record gives more details on each single applicant.

Some names may be difficult to locate because of peculiarities in the German language. German surnames that carry an "Umlaut," i.e. a modified vowel (ä, ö, ü), have been changed to their English equivalents; thus ä = ae, ö = oe, ü = ue are indexed as such. Surnames composed of two or more distinct words have been alphabetized under the final word. Thus, von Vogel is found as Vogel von.

When a family or husband and wife applied jointly, the entry would be as follows: Weidmann, Hans Peter & W or Becker, Alois & W, respectively. The wife would be listed separately by her maiden name in alphabetical order. In cases of a widow with children or a single woman with an illegitimate child, the listing will appear as follows: Widmann, Heinrike & C. A widow also may be listed as Widmann, Heinrike & F.

The date of application for emigration should not be assumed to be the date of emigration. In several cases, emigration was not granted until some time later, or the emigrant had already left secretly before that date.

ABBREVIATIONS

1. Austr = Australia
2. Mecklbg = Mecklenberg
3. N-Amer = North America
4. Palest = Palestine
5. Pommer = Pomerania
8. S-Afri = South Africa
9. S-Amer = South America
10. S-Russ = South Russia
11. Slovan = Slovania
12. Switz = Switzerland

ABBREVIATIONS OF OBERAEMTER = DISTRICT TOWNS

Aal = Aalen
Bal = Balingen
Bckn = Backnang*
Bes = Besigheim*
Bib = Biberach*
Blb = Blaubeuren*
Boeb = Boeblingen*
Brck = Brackenheim*
Cal = Calw*
Can = Cannstatt
Crls = Crailsheim
Eh = Ehingen
Ellw = Ellwangen
Essl = Esslingen
Frd = Freudenstadt
Gld = Gaildorf
Gmd = Gmeund
Goep = Goeppingen
Grb = Gerabronn
Gsl = Geislingen
Hdh = Heidenheim
Herr = Herrenberg
Hlbr = Heilbronn
Hll = Hall
Hor = Horb*
Krch = Kirchheim
Kzs = Kuenzelsau
Leon = Leonberg
Lph = Laupheim
Ltk = Leutkirch
Lud = Ludwigsburg
Marb = Marbach
Mibr = Maulbronn
Mrg = Mergentheim
Muens = Muensingen
Nag = Nagold
Nbg = Neuenburg
Nds = Neckarsulm
Ner = Neresheim
Nuert = Nuertingen
Obd = Oberndorf
Oehr = Oehringen
Rav = Ravensburg
Rdl = Riedlingen
Rtb = Rottenburg
Rtl = Reutlingen
Rtw = Rottwell
Schd = Schorndorf
Slg = Saulgau
Slz = Sulz
Spch = Spaichingen
Stu = Stuttgart
Tett = Tettnang
Tueb = Tuebingen
Tutt = Tuttlingen
Ur = Urach
Vaih = Vaihingen
Wbl = Waiblingen
Wlds = Waldsee
Wng = Wangen
Wnsb = Weinsberg
Wlz = Welzheim

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Apr 1834	N.-Amer	801460
1837	N.-Amer	835930
1818	Hungary	841084
1818	Hungary	841084
1818	Hungary	841084
bef.1865	N.-Amer	841081
Apr 1836	N.-Amer	801460
Dec 1880	Switz.	563213
Dec 1880	Switz.	563213
Dec 1880	Switz.	563213
Apr 1881	N.-Amer	563213
Apr 1881	America	563213
Dec 1880	Switz.	563213
Jul 1885	N.-Amer	563213
Dec 1880	Switz.	563213
Dec 1880	Switz.	563213
Dec 1880	Switz.	563213
Mar 1865	N.-Amer	835921
May 1867	N.-Amer	556854
Apr 1867	America	555975
Apr 1832	America	562308
Nov 1874	N.-Amer	563213
Mar 1846	N.-Amer	801462
Jan 1861	N.-Amer	559062
Jun 1862	Austria	559063
Jan 1853	America	559060
Apr 1860	N.-Amer	559062
Feb 1867	N.-Amer	549606
May 1854	N.-Amer	549606
Jun 1847	N.-Amer	801462
Jun 1870	N.-Amer	549606
Jul 1864	N.-Amer	549606
May 1861	N.-Amer	549606
bef.1864	Hungary	841081
Jul 1859	N.-Amer	549606
May 1869	N.-Amer	549606
Jan 1871	N.-Amer	555978
May 1851	N.-Amer	559075
Jun 1851	N.-Amer	559075
Jun 1851	N.-Amer	559075
Jun 1851	N.-Amer	559075
Jul 1867	England	555976
1870	France	835932
1817	N.-Amer	841111
Sep 1866	N.-Amer	549606
Mar 1858	N.-Amer	549606
Sep 1861	N.-Amer	549606
Mar 1862	N.-Amer	555973
Jul 1871	N.-Amer	555978
Sep 1876	N.-Amer	555979

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Hornikel, Karl Heinrich	7 Jun 1874	Ehningen	Boeb.	Feb 1891	N.-Amer	559082
Hornstein, Anton	16 Jul 1840	Rottenburg	Rtb.	Jun 1866	France	841096
Hornung, Blasius		Ringingen	Blb.	Jan 1861	N.-Amer	559062
Hornung, Gottlieb	19 yrs.	Aidlingen	Boeb.	Jul 1854	N.-Amer	559075
Hornung, Johann Jakob		Aidlingen	Boeb.	Apr 1843	N.-Amer	559075
Hort, Adolf Gottlieb		Unterweisbach	Bckn.	Jul 1868	America	549606
Hosch, Melcher	21 yrs.	Ehningen	Boeb.	Mar 1846	America	559081
Hosp, Joseph	8 Oct 1799	Erolzheim	Bib.	Oct 1752	America	556849
Hosp, Susanna	5 Jan 1826	Erolzheim	Bib.	Jun 1869	Austria	556855
Hoss, Christian David	20 Jul 1864	Oberjettingen	Herr.	May 1881	N.-Amer	835923
Hottmann, Christina	6 Feb 1785	Gruenbach	Schd.	Jan 1834	N.-Amer	804460
Hottmann, Henriette	31 May 1825	Schorndorf	Schd.	Mar 1835	N.-Amer	801460
Hottmann, Johann	18 Jan 1820	Gruenbach	Schd.	Jan 1834	N.-Amer	804460
Hoven von, Christian Friedrich	7 Apr 1821	Boennigheim	Bes.	Feb 1843	N.-Amer	556835
Hoven von, Friederike Wilhelm.	18 Mar 1823	Boennigheim	Bes.	Feb 1843	N.-Amer	556835
Hoven von, Ludwig Jacob	6 Jun 1819	Boennigheim	Bes.	Feb 1843	N.-Amer	556835
Hoven, von Gottfried Christ.	9 Apr 1835	Boennigheim	Bes.	Dec 1855	N.-Amer	556843
Hoyer, David	29 Dec 1821	Aidlingen	Boeb.	Jan 1867	N.-Amer	559075
Huber, Carl Friedrich	25 Sep 1870	Besigheim	Bes.	Jun 1887	N.-Amer	555982
Huber, Catharina	14 Jun 1833	Rollingen	Blb.	Feb 1854	America	559061
Huber, Christian Friedrich		Metterzimmern	Bes.	Oct 1880	N.-Amer	555980
Huber, Christian Friedrich	30 May 1867	Grossingersheim	Bes.	Jun 1884	N.-Amer	555982
Huber, Christine	2 Oct 1826	Niederhofen	Brck.	Sep 1854	N.-Amer	562307
Huber, Conrad	18 Aug 1826	Altdorf	Boeb.	Apr 1964	N.-Amer	559076
Huber, David	11 Aug 1848	Altdorf	Boeb.	Nov 1868	N.-Amer	559076
Huber, Elisabetha		Wahlheim	Bes.	Feb 1846	Romania	556836
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Huber, Friedrich		Mittelbrueden	Bckn.	May 1860	America	549606
Huber, Jacob	19 Mar 1858	Niederhofen	Brck.	Dec 1874	N.-Amer	562307
Huber, Jacob & F		Rottenburg	Rtb.	1854	N.-Amer	841092
Huber, Johann Georg		Grossingersheim	Bes.	Mar 1832	N.-Amer	555969
Huber, Johann Georg & F		Darmsheim	Boeb.	May 1839	Poland	559079
Huber, Karl Albert	26 Aug 1876	Esslingen	Essl.	May 1893	N.-Amer	530809
Huber, Karl Friedrich	25 Sep 1870	Besigheim	Bes.	Mar 1893	N.-Amer	555984
Huchler, Martin	9 Mar 1817	Biberach	Bib.	Jul 1886	Austria	556855
Huchler, Wilhelm	7 Aug 1823	Biberach	Bib.	Apr 1847	N.-Amer	556847
Huckspiel, Johannes	5 Oct 1820	Erolzheim	Bib.	Jul 1858	N.-Amer	556851
Hudelmaier, Elias	19 yrs.	Adelberg	Schd.	Oct 1853	N.-Amer	801464
Hueber, Martin		Bietigheim	Bes.	Sep 1838	France	556834
Huebsch, Carl August	19 Jan 1834	Sulzbach	Bckn.	Feb 1854	N.-Amer	549606
Hueftle, Karl Friedrich		Birkenweisbuch	Schd.	Jan 1853	N.-Amer	801464
Hueftle, Kaspar	30 Dec 1865	Marbach	Bckn.	Jun 1883	Switz.	549606
Huegele, Anton	19 yrs.	Stockheim	Brck.	Mar 1853	America	562311
Huegele, D.	5 Feb 1837	Stockheim	Brck.	Jun 1854	America	562311
Huegele, Maria Franziska	10 Nov 1835	Stockheim	Brck.	Mar 1857	America	562311
Huerttle, Johannes	10 Dec 1855	Grossingersheim	Bes.	Apr 1880	N.-Amer	555980
Huetter, Karl Johann	28 Jul 1853	Backnang	Bckn.	Jul 1869	N.-Amer	549606
Huetzel, Karl Gottlieb	29 Mar 1866	Spiegelberg	Bckn.	Jan 1889	N.-Amer	549606
Huger, Nicolaus		Assmanshardt	Bib.	Feb 1854	N.-Amer	556850
Hullger, Friedrike	30 Sep 1825	Gemmrigheim	Bes.	May 1848	N.-Amer	556836

Krieg, Johannes	45 yrs.	Kleingartach	Brck.	1844	Austria	562313
Krieg, Wilhelm	9 yrs.	Weiler	Schd.	Jan 1849	N.-Amer	801463
Krissler, Luise Christine	28 Jun 1861	Calw	Calw	Feb 1882	N.-Amer	563213
Kroener, Johannes	10 Jan 1841	Temmenhausen	Blb.	Aug 1865	America	559064
Kroetz, Juditha		Unterurbach	Schd.	Nov 1853	N.-Amer	801464
Kroez, Catharine		Oberurbach	Schd.	Mar 1847	N.-Amer	801463
Kroll, Gottlieb David		Kl. Ingersheim	Bes.	Jul 1854	N.-Amer	556841
Kroll, Johann Christian	11 Oct 1833	Kl. Ingersheim	Bes.	Jul 1854	N.-Amer	556841
Kronmueller, Friedrich	24 Mar 1865	Heinigen	Bckn.	Mar 1881	America	549607
Kronmueller, Jacob		Backnang	Bckn.	May 1868	N.-Amer	549607
Kronmueller, Johann Georg	18 May 1841	Ittenberg	Bckn.	Mar 1858	N.-Amer	549608
Kronmueller, Karoline	31 Dec 1848	Sechselberg	Bckn.	Jul 1870	N.-Amer	549607
Krug, Joseph	15 Jan 1848	Bellamont	Bib.	Aug 1868	America	556854
Kueble, Gottfried	2 Mar 1837	Fornsbach	Bckn.	Mar 1869	N.-Amer	549607
Kueble, Johann Gottlieb	28 Aug 1851	Sulzbach	Bckn.	Aug 1870	N.-Amer	549607
Kuebler, Carl	1 Sep 1852	Calw	Calw	Jan 1872	Palest.	563213
Kuebler, Caroline	24 yrs.	Backnang	Bckn.	Apr 1862	N.-Amer	549608
Kuebler, Chistiane	11 Oct 1831	Besigheim	Bes.	Apr 1857	N.-Amer	556845
Kuebler, Christian David	19 Oct 1847	Sulzbach	Bckn.	Mar 1865	N.-Amer	549607
Kuebler, Christian Heinrich	20 May 1846	Schafhausen	Boeb.	Aug 1871	Austria	560438
Kuebler, Christian Karl	10 Nov 1873	Jettenberg	Bckn.	Jan 1890	N.-Amer	549607
Kuebler, Christian Wilhelm	8 Jun 1867	Morbach	Bckn.	Oct 1883	England	549607
Kuebler, Christiane Rosina		Schoenbronn	Bckn.	Jul 1861	Austria	549608
Kuebler, Christina	17 Oct 1831	Besigheim	Bes.	Apr 1857	America	556845
Kuebler, Dorothea Caroline		Loechgau	Bes.	Apr 1866	N.-Amer	555975
Kuebler, Georg Friedrich	13 Mar 1843	Waltersberg	Bckn.	Jul 1866	N.-Amer	549607
Kuebler, Gotthelf	16 Nov 1836	Schafhausen	Boeb.	Jun 1858	America	560438
Kuebler, Heinrich Ernst	5 Jul 1872	Moorbach	Bckn.	Jun 1888	America	549607
Kuebler, Jakobina	20 Sep 1836	Laupertshausen	Bib.	Oct 1859	N.-Amer	556852
Kuebler, Johann Gottlieb	24 Aug 1829	Steinbach	Bckn.	Jun 1857	N.-Amer	549608
Kuebler, Johann Jakob	11 Jun 1831	Magstadt	Boeb.	Nov 1852	N.-Amer	559084
Kuebler, Marie Catharina		Loechgau	Bes.	Jul 1868	N.-Amer	555976
Kuebler, Wilhelm Friedrich	12 Sep 1853	Loechgau	Bes.	Jul 1868	N.-Amer	555976
Kuebler, Wilhelm Gottfried & F	10 May 1843	Jettenberg	Bckn.	Jul 1889	Austria	549607
Kuechler, Johann Jacob	1 Mar 1833	Weitersbach	Schd.	Nov 1853	N.-Amer	801464
Kuefer, Christiane Louise	9 Feb 1851	Schorndorf	Schd.	Nov 1852	N.-Amer	801464
Kuefer, Christine Friederike	26 Oct 1849	Schorndorf	Schd.	Nov 1852	N.-Amer	801464
Kuefer, Joseph Heinrich & F	16 Aug 1823	Schorndorf	Schd.	Nov 1852	N.-Amer	801464
Kuefer, Marie Charlotte	4 Feb 1845	Schorndorf	Schd.	Nov 1852	N.-Amer	801464
Kuefer, Marie Margaretha	8 Dec 1847	Schorndorf	Schd.	Nov 1852	N.-Amer	801464
Kuefer, Wilhelm Gottfried	16 Jun 1841	Ingersheim	Bes.	Sep 1860	N.-Amer	555971
Kuegele, Siegmund Friedrich	24 Aug 1804	Besigheim	Bes.	Feb 1835	N.-Amer	555970
Kuehle, Jacob	6 May 1831	Schnaith	Schd.	Mar 1850	N.-Amer	801463
Kuehn, Franz Josef	28 Sep 1858	Rottweil	Rtw.	Apr 1873	N.Amer	841113
Kuehn, Johann	23 Apr 1831	Althuette	Bckn.	Jul 1864	Hesse	549608
Kuehn, Johannes Gottlieb	20 Apr 1841	Murrhardt	Bckn.	Feb 1857	N.-Amer	549608
Kuehn, Markus		Winterreute	Bib.	Jul 1858	N.-Amer	556851
Kuehner, Carl Friedrich	4 Jul 1838	Ehningen	Boeb.	Nov 1851	N.-Amer	559081
Kuehner, Carl Friedrich & F		Ehningen	Boeb.	Nov 1851	N.-Amer	559081
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Kuester, Philipp & F		Horb	Horb	Oct 1847	N.-Amer	835928
Kuester, Philipp Jacob		Horb	Horb	Sep 1853	N.-Amer	835928
Kuesterer, Christine	5 Sep 1870	Monakam	Calw	Apr 1888	N.-Amer	563213
Kuesterer, Gottlob Friedrich	9 Nov 1865	Unterreichenbach	Calw	Jul 1882	N.-Amer	563213
Kuesterer, Mathaeus	5 May 1867	Monakam	Calw	Apr 1888	N.-Amer	563213
Kugel, Christian & W		Blaubeuren	Blb.	May 1837	N.-Amer	559058
Kugle, Johann Christof Chr.		Murrhardt	Bckn.	Jun 1868	N.-Amer	549607
Kugler, Christian	19 Feb 1846	Sechelberg	Bckn.	Dec 1866	N.-Amer	549607
Kugler, Ernst Wilhelm	22 Feb 1867	Backnang	Bckn.	Jun 1883	America	549607
Kugler, Eugen	25 Jun 1877	Murrhardt	Bckn.	Oct 1884	America	549607
Kugler, Friedrich	23 Nov 1850	Murrhardt	Bckn.	Jun 1868	N.-Amer	549607
Kugler, Gottlieb Friedrich	30 Oct 1838	Backnang	Bckn.	Mar 1868	N.-Amer	549607
Kugler, Gottlieb Julius	24 Mar 1872	Murrhardt	Bckn.	Oct 1884	America	549607
Kugler, Johannes & F	6 Mar 1794	Lauffen	Bes.	Aug 1848	N.-Amer	556836
Kugler, Karl & W		Murrhardt	Bckn.	Oct 1884	America	549607
Kugler, Karoline	31 Jan 1846	Trauzenbach	Bckn.	Jul 1865	N.-Amer	549607
Kuhm, Carl Benedict	27 Apr 1824	Darmsheim	Boeb.	Feb 1856	N.-Amer	559079
Kuhm, Mathias	24 Aug 1825	Darmsheim	Boeb.	Jan 1855	N.-Amer	559079
Kuhn, Aron Jacob		Freudenthal	Bes.	Jul 1852	N.-Amer	556838
Kuhn, Catharina	16 Nov 1816	Schemmerberg	Bib.	Apr 1854	N.-Amer	556850
Kuhn, Heinrich	3 Feb 1849	Murrhardt	Bckn.	Feb 1868	N.-Amer	549607
Kuhn, Jacob	28 May 1833	Wolfenhausen	Rtb.	Feb 1853	N.-Amer	841092
Kuhn, Johann Georg	23 Sep 1834	Weiler	Blb.	Jan 1854	America	559061
Kuhn, Joseph		Schemmerberg	Bib.	Aug 1856	N.-Amer	556851
Kuhn, Joseph Heinrich	10 Mar 1872	Ravensburg	Bib.	Apr 1888	N.-Amer	556856
Kuhn, Karl Friedrich	1 Jan 1846	Sulzbach	Bckn.	Aug 1865	N.-Amer	549607
Kuhn, Michael	1 May 1828	Darmsheim	Boeb.	Sep 1857	N.-Amer	559079
Kuhnle, Adam Friedrich	19 Jun 1836	Bietigheim	Bes.	Feb 1854	N.-Amer	556842
Kuhnle, Elisabethe & C	12 Apr 1822	Spielberg	Brck.	Jan 1859	N.-Amer	562309
Kuhnle, Jacob	16 May 1838	Bietigheim	Bes.	Aug 1855	N.-Amer	556843
Kummer, Albert	18 May 1867	Freudenthal	Bes.	Mar 1884	N.-Amer	555982
Kummer, Wilhelm	29 Mar 1877	Freudenthal	Bes.	May 1892	N.-Amer	555984
Kummerle, Johann Michael & F	30 Aug 1806	Haberschlacht	Brck.	Feb 1840	N.-Amer	562310
Kummerlin, Johann Friedr. & F	19 May 1818	Lauffen	Bes.	Feb 1854	N.-Amer	556842
Kuner, Wendelin	20 Oct 1835	Herrlingen	Blb.	Sep 1853	America	559061
Kuno, Catharina Elisabetha	23 Mar 1834	Schwaigern	Brck.	Oct 1856	America	562309
Kunz, Carl	29 Mar 1839	Bietigheim	Bes.	Aug 1859	America	556846
Kunz, Carl August	11 Dec 1815	Schorndorf	Schd.	Dec 1852	Switz.	801464
Kunz, Christina		Schorndorf	Schd.	Apr 1847	N.-Amer	801462
Kunz, Michael	14 Apr 1830	Haubersbronn	Schd.	Nov 1851	S.-Amer	801463
Kunz, Wilhelm Heinrich	3 May 1823	Bietigheim	Bes.	Sep 1853	N.-Amer	556839
Kunzelmann, Anton		Ringingen	Blb.	May 1861	N.-Amer	559062
Kunzelmann, Franz Karl & F	16 Jan 1822	Ringingen	Blb.	Jul 1852	America	559060
Kunzle, Louise	14 Oct 1842	Steinbach	Bckn.	Oct 1869	N.-Amer	549607
Kuohm, Gottlieb	9 Mar 1839	Schafhausen	Boeb.	May 1854	America	560438
Kuon, Franz Karl	9 Sep 1855	Maichingen	Boeb.	Sep 1871	N.-Amer	559079
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2 1805 angekommen:
Fetz, Joseph 51, seine Frau Anna Maria 49, seine Söhne Johann Jakob 24, Johann Friedrich 22, Lorenz Friedrich 21.

3 s. auch 25, 39, 122
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4 s. auch 83, 123, 197 1807 angekommen:
Buchjrbach, Georg 27, seine Frau Juliana 24, seine Kinder Daniel 5, Christina Margareta 3 1/2, Georg Friedrich 2 1/2, die Mutter des G. R., Katharina, ausgeschieden nach Kassel durch Heirat, sein Bruder Nikolaus, 1812, 19, ausgeschieden durch Heirat, dessen Sohn Johann Nikolaus.

5 s. auch 8, 101
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6 s. auch 10
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7, s. auch 126, 127
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9, s. auch 11, 33, 110, 129, 149
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11, s. auch 9
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12, s. auch 132
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213, s. auch 99
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Apr 10 1930

John " Cyris # 288 - Hope, Dickinson
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Calvin A Kuhn Center #147 - Marion,
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Geo. M. Hornig - farmer & stock raiser Sec. 10 P.O. Grantville - b. in Wurtemberg, Ger. 2 May 1834 - left native country when 18 yrs. Came to N.Y. - was blacksmith - learned in old country - 1859 came to KS KAW Bottoms in Jefferson Co. m. in KS Miss Agnes Schaffer 3 ch. - Mary, Adelia M. & Maud.

J. Kochn - prop / flour mills in Ger. b. 24 Feb 1840 - to Amer. 1865 Prior to KS - he lived N.Y., Oh., MO., 1867 Fairmiville, Linn Co, KS. located - for 1 yr. - then went into business for himself in Guilford, Wilson Co. KS. - there 4 yr. - + other places. Member of Elks + A.O.U.W. (+) m. in Prussia July 1863 to Mary Henrietta Kleinkemann a native - 8 ch - Paul, Otto, Max, Emma, Minni, Edward, Grace + John.

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THE 1623 DIVISION

IN 1623 it was decided to allot land to every family to help increase production. The previous plan of working for the common good was not successful and this new plan worked much better.[2] This article might be considered a "reconstructed" 1623 census of Plymouth, as everyone living there at the time appears to have been granted land, except the crew of the Little James. They were hired for fishing and did not intend to stay.

I believe the division was actually made after January 1st, 1624. It was certainly made after the Bradford-Southworth marriage 24 Aug. 1623 (old style) and the marriage of Myles Standish and Barbara who came on the Anne. It was apparently made after 5 Nov. 1623, as Timothy Hatherly did not receive land. He had come on the Anne, but returned on the same ship after his house burned November 5th. Some have thought that the division was made late in 1623 (old style) what we would term March 1624, just before April planting.

It appears that the population of Plymouth in 1623 included 48 from the Mayflower, 32 from the Fortune, and about 96 from the Anne, Little James and other ships, a total population of about 176. Mayflower passengers who survived the first winter, but apparently left Plymouth before the 1623 division, were Desire Minter, William Trevor and Ely. It is possible that they might be "hidden" in one of the families, but I doubt it.

The list of Mayflower passengers is taken from Bradford's history. There are no contemporary passenger lists for the Fortune, Anne and Little James whose passengers shared in the 1623 land division. Published lists are based on the names in that division, with the 1627 cattle division as the primary source for identifying wives and children.

The Fortune brought Robert Cushman and 35 other passengers in 1621, of whom 32 were still living at Plymouth in 1623. Mr. Cushman returned on the Anne, Mr. Ford had died by that time, and two whose names are unknown had either died or left the colony. The Anne and Little James brought "about 60 persons for the general" and a company that came "on their particular"—John Oldham's group who were not regular members of the Colony.

I believe that the following rules were used in 1623 for allotting land.

1—An acre for every person then living in Plymouth except the sailors. This would include children born on the ships. Oceanus Hopkins and Peregrine White were born aboard the Mayflower, the Fords had a baby shortly after the Fortune arrived, and Sarah Jenney and Ephraim Morton were probably born on the Anne.

2—An acre for every adult who came on the Mayflower, whether he died aboard or in Plymouth, as long as any of his family survived. No shares for children who died.

3—An acre for every servant who died, provided one member of the family survived.

4—An acre for every person who contributed £10 toward the financing of the Pilgrims—the "double share" of the Pilgrims' agreement with the Adventurers.

2 In 1624 the settlers asked their Governor to cease distributing land "by yearly lot" so that they might benefit from the improvements they had made on a particular piece of land. He therefore assigned them the use of the same lots until 1627, when the agreement with the Adventurers would expire. There was still "no division for inheritance."

The meersteads & garden plotes of (worn) which came first layd out 1620

The north side	*The south side*
	Peeter Brown
	John Goodman
	Mr Wm Brewster
	high way
the streete	*John Billington*
	Mr Isaak Allerton
	Francies Cooke
	Edward Winslow.

"The streete" is now called Leyden Street. Highway is the main street.

The tabulation shows, in bold face at the left, the names as they appear in the 1623 division and the number of acres alloted to each. Where the number of acres was unreadable or not clear an "x" has been used or number supplied in brackets.

The falles of their grounds which came first over in the May-flourt. accrording as thier lotes were cast 1623.

This entry by Governor Bradford himself in the oldest volume of Plymouth Colony Records, made about 1623, is the earliest known mention of the name of the Pilgrim ship.

"The Falles of their grounds which came first over in the May-Floure, according as thier lotes were cast .1623."

Robart Cochman—1—An unknown Mayflower passenger? No, this is Robert Cushman who started out with the Mayflower but was left behind when they turned back to Plymouth, England, because of the poor condition of the Speedwell. His (extra) share must be for a financial contribution in 1620. Robert came to Plymouth in 1621 on the Fortune with his son Thomas, but did not stay.

Mr. William Brewster—6—a share for each as follows:
1—himself
2—wife Mary Brewster
3—son Love Brewster
4—son Wrestling Brewster
5—Richard More
6—William Latham (? He was a servant of the Carvers and may be in this household, otherwise an extra share for money contributed.)

William Bradford—3—a share for each as follows:
1—himself
2—his wife Dorothy (May) Bradford, dead
3—extra share for financial contribution

Richard Gardener—1—for himself (he returned to England—Banks)

Frances Cooke—2—one each for himself and his son John

George Soule—1—for himself

Mr. Isaak Alerton—7—a share for each as follows:

1—himself
2—son Bartholomew Allerton
3—daughter Remember Allerton
4—daughter Mary Allerton
5—wife Mary (Norris) Allerton, dead
6—servant John Hooke, dead
7—extra share for financial contribution

John Billington—3—a share for each as follows:

1—himself **2**—wife Ellen Billington **3**—son Francis Billington

There should be four shares for this family. Where is the share for John Jr.? (or Francis or Mrs. Billington, whoever was left out of the count.) Was he living with another family and included in their count?

Peter Browen—1—for himself, Peter Brown

Samuel ffuller—2—one for himself and one for servant Robert Butten, dead.

Joseph Rogers—2—one for himself and one for his father Thomas, dead.

The 29 acres allotted Robert Cushman through Joseph Rogers lay on the south side of Town Brook between Sandwich Street and the harbor, and running south almost to Fremont Street.

John Howland—4—one each as follows:

1—himself
2—wife Elizabeth (Tilley) Howland
3—John Tilley, father-in-law, dead
4—Elizabeth Tilley, mother-in-law, dead

If Elizabeth had not married John Howland by now, she would receive her shares in her maiden name, as Mary Chilton and Humility Cooper did.

Steven Hobkins—6—one each as follows:

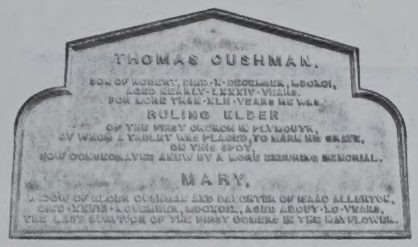
1—himself—Stephen Hopkins
2—wife Elizabeth Hopkins
3—son Giles Hopkins
4—daughter Constance Hopkins
5—daughter Damaris Hopkins (?)
6—son Oceanus Hopkins (?)

Stephen Hopkins should have an extra share so either Damaris or Oceanus was dead by this time.

Edward—1—Edward Doty, a share for himself

Edward—1—Edward Leister, a share for himself

Both were servants of Stephen Hopkins. Their place in the list identifies them.



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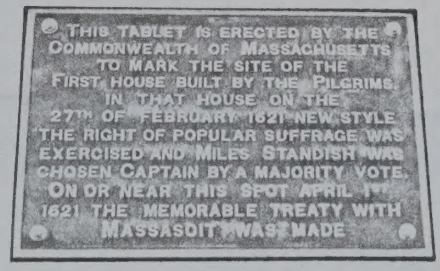

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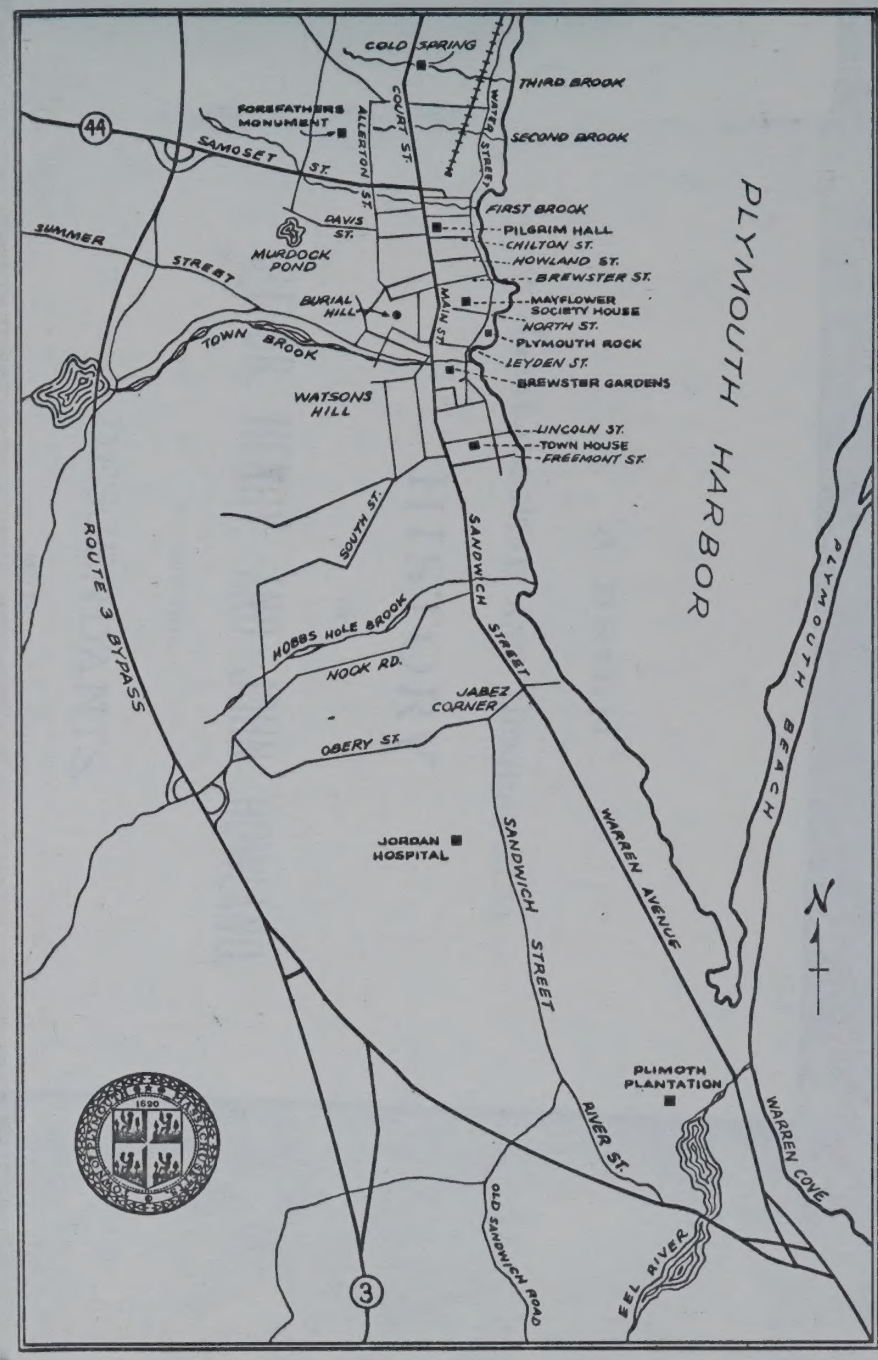

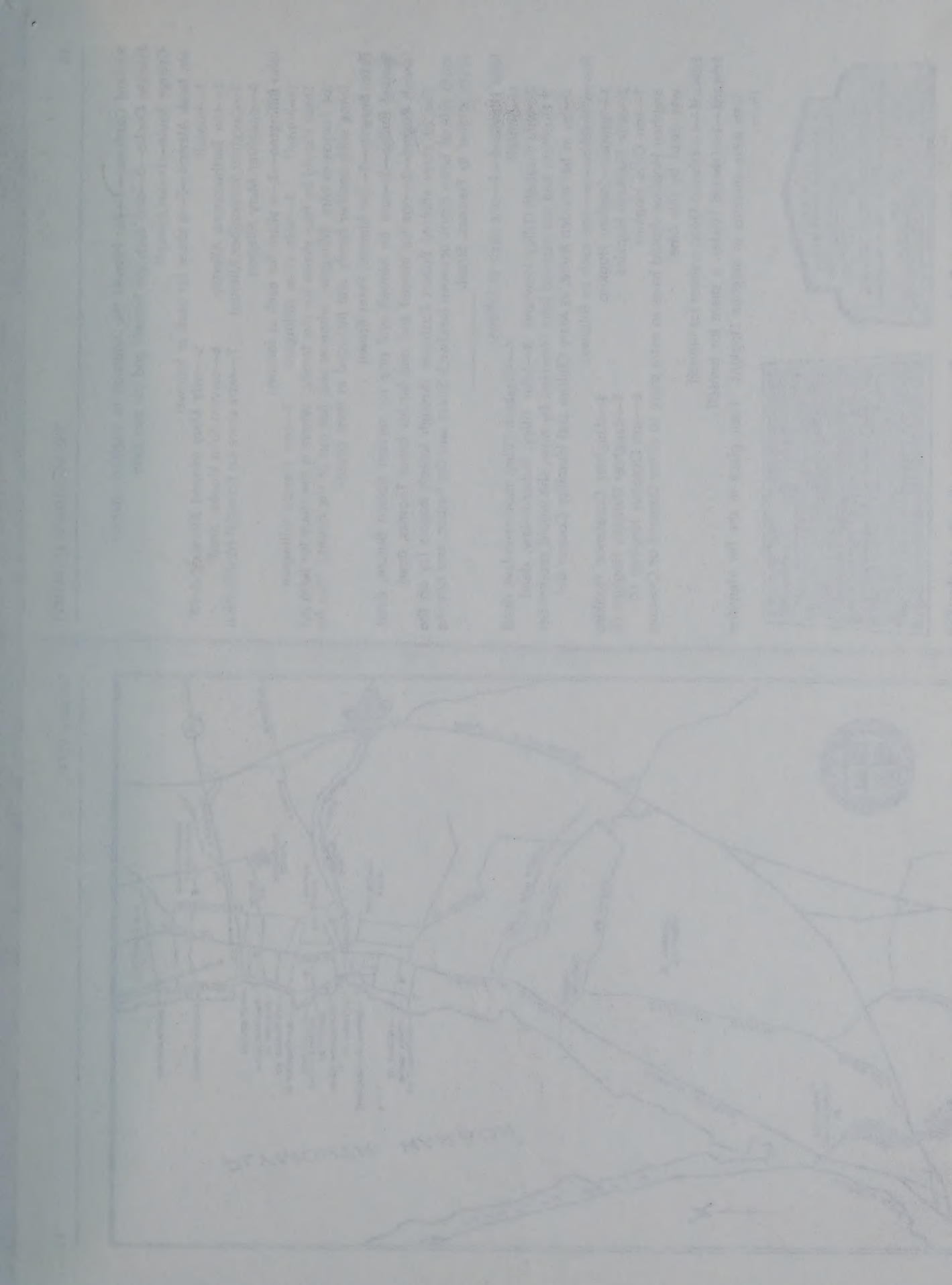

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He lived at what was called Rocky Nook. He died 23, 2, 1672, O. S. (1673, N. S.) The following is a verbatim copy of his will, which was exhibited to the court held at Plymouth, March 5th, 1673, and copied from the Old Colony records by the writer.

WILL OF JOHN HOWLAND.

The Last Will and testament of Mr John Howland of Plymouth, late deceased, exhibited to the Court held att Plymouth the fifth day of March Anno: Dom: 1673 on the oath of Mr Samuel Fuller and Mr William Crow as followith:

Know all men to whom these presents shall Come that I, John Howland sen'r, of the town of New Plymouth, in the Colony of New Plymouth in New England in America, this twenty ninth day of May one thousand six hundred seventy and two being of whole mind and in Good and Perfect Memory and Remembrance praised be God; being now Grown aged; haueing many infeirmities of body vpon me; and not knowing how soon God will call mee out of this world, doe make and ordaine these presents to be my testament containing heerin my last Will in manner and forme following:

Imp I will and bequeath my body to the dust, and my soule to God that gave it, in hopes of a joyful Resurrection vnto glory; and as concerning my temporall estate, I dispose therof as followeth

Item I doe giue and bequeath vnto John Howland my eldest sonne besides what lands I haue alreddy giuen him, all my Right and interest to that one hundred acres of land granted mee by the Court, lying on the eastern side of Taunton River, between Titicutt and Taunton, bounds and all the appurtenantes and priviledges therevnto belonging, to belonge to him and his heires and assignes forever; And if that tract should faile, then to haue all my Right, title and Interest by and in that last Court graunt to mee, in any other place, to belonge to him his heires and assigns forever;

Item I giue and bequeath vnto my son, Jabez Howland, all those my vpland and Meadows that I now posesse att Satuckett and Paomett, and places adjacent, with all the appurtenances and privilidges, belonging therevnto, and all my right title and interest therin, to belonge to him, his heires and assignes forever,

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Item I giue and bequeath vnto my said son, Isack Howland, the one half of my twelve acree lott of Meddow that I now haue att Winnetussett River within the towne of Plymouth, aforsaid to belonge to him the said Isack Howland his heires and assignes forever,

Item I Will and bequeath vnto my deare and louing wif Elizabeth Howland the vse and benifitt of my now dwelling house in Rockey Nook in the township of Plymouth aforesaid, with the outhousing lands, that is vplands and meddow lands, and all appurtenances and privilidges therevnto belonging in the towne of Plymouth and all other lands housings and meddows that I haue in said towne of Plymouth, excepting what meddow and vpland I haue before given to my sonnes Jabez and Isack Howland during her naturall life, to injoy make vse of and improve for her benifit and comfort;

Item I giue and bequeath to my son, Joseph Howland after the decase of my louing wife Elizabeth Howland my aforsaid dwelling house at Rocky nook together with all the out housing vplands and meddowes appurtenances and privilidges belonging thervnto; and all other housing vplands and meddowes that I haue within the aforsaid towne of New Plymouth excepting what lands and meddowes I haue before Given to my two sonnes, Jabez and Isack to belonge to him the said Joseph Howland to him and his heires and assignes forever;

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Elizabeth's will is dated at Swanzey, 17th Dec. 1686. In it she writes:

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In my judgment nothing has yet been found to prove that John was married before he left England, or even in 1623, notwithstanding the above and the assertion of Bradford that his marriage was the fourth in the colony, and of Dr. Shurtleff that it was the third, if not the second. These widely differing statements were evidently not formed from data. My opinion, based largely upon record evidence, is that the remnant of Carver's household consisted of John Howland, Elizabeth Tilly, Desire Minter, and the lad William Latham; that they cast their lots together as one family under the direction of John, and that the allotment of land above mentioned does not prove that John and Elizabeth were or were not married at that date. They may have been married, though Elizabeth was sixteen. If they were, probably faithful Desire Minter remained with them. If they were not, doubtless Desire was matron of the house; at least, she held a prominent place in the affections of John and Elizabeth, who honored her greatly by naming their first daughter for her, when it was almost the universal custom to name the first born from a cherished ancestor. In 1627 John's family consisted of himself, Elizabeth, son John and daughter Desire. Desire Minter had probably returned to England, where she died, and William Latham may have gone to Jamaica, where he died.

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An original letter from a genealogist in England[1], in 1879, mentions "the extraordinary fact that I find the surname of Howland in no other county in England than Essex, and originally in no other locality in that county except at Newport and Wicken and their immediate vicinity. Wherever at later periods I have found Howlands in other counties, as Hertfordshire, Surrey, Berks, etc., I have invariably traced them back to Newport and Wicken. It is clear that several families of the name were living there contemporaneously and equally so that they were all in some way connected . . . at the period of the birth of John Howland of the *Mayflower,* there were living then no less than five John Howlands . . . " In two of these lines, the Howland name terminated in heiresses, one of whom, Elizabeth by name, bequeathed the Streatham Estates to her husband, the Duke of Bedford, who then acquired the additional title of Baron Howland.

John Howland of the *Mayflower* was born in 1592, the son of Henry Howland, of Fen Stanton, Huntingdonshire (near Newport, County Essex)[2]. He had at least four brothers, Arthur, George, Henry, and Humphrey. His brothers Arthur and Henry came to America[3] about 1623/4 and later joined the Society of Friends. Early records reveal that Arthur, whose home was in Marshfield, was fined many times for "pmitting of a Quaker's meeting in his house." When he refused to pay the fines, he was sent to jail. Henry was fined for entertaining Quakers, at the Court of March, 1658.

In mid-Atlantic, during a violent storm, John Howland was almost drowned when a mountainous wave swept him overboard. Grasping a halyard which was trailing astern of the *Mayflower,* although at first he was several fathoms under water, he finally managed to haul himself to the

[1] Chester, Joseph L. *Pedigrees of the Families of Howland of Essex County, England, and of Plymouth, Mass.";* London, 1879.
[2] Howland, William (Editor and Compiler) *The Howlands in America;* The York Press Co., Gouverneur, N. Y.; 1939.
[3] *Ibid;* and *Records of Plymouth Colony.*

surface. He was then rescued, by means of a boathook along with the rope, etc.[4]

By November 11, 1620, he had sufficiently recuperated from his oceanic adventure to be the thirteenth signer of the *Mayflower Compact.* And a few days later, December 6, he was one of the ten chosen to make the third exploration along the shore. On this occasion, they were attacked by the Indians at Eastham, Cape Cod. In Bradford's *History,* we learn that the mast of the shallop broke during a sudden squall, and the sail was lost overboard. "The weather was very cold, and it froze so hard . . . the spray of the sea lighting on their coats, they were as if they had been glazed."[5]

John Howland was one of Governor Carver's family. Both Governor Carver and his wife were among the fifty Pilgrims who died during the first few months of the struggle for survival at Plymouth. It is believed that John Howland inherited John Carver's estate, as the Carvers had no children of their own.

About 1626 John Howland married Elizabeth Tilley, a girl of eighteen. She had come on the *Mayflower* with her parents, who, like the Carvers, were victims of "the sickness" during the first winter. She d. 21 Dec. 1687, at Swansea.

In 1626, John Howland was one of those (including Bradford, Brewster, Standish, etc.) who assumed the Colony's debt to the Merchant Adventurers, £1800. At least as early as 1633-35, he was an Assistant or member of the Governor's Council, and from 1641 to 1670 was frequently a deputy or representative to the General Court. In 1634, he commanded the Pilgrims' Trading Post at Kennebec (Maine).

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7. Seth[3] b. 5 Jan. 1684; bur. 12 Apr. 1685.

*8. Samuel[3] b. 16 May 1686, at Bristol, R. I ; d. 15 May 1748, at Bristol, R. I.; m. (1) 6 May 1708, at Bristol, R. I., Abigail Cary, b. 31 Aug. 1684, at

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the First Light Infantry Company, October 21, 1856. He was promoted corporal, April 8, 1862; second lieutenant, April 25, 1869; first lieutenant, April 26, 1869; major First Light Infantry Regiment, April 29, 1872; colonel and inspector, division Rhode Island militia, April 14, 1874; captain and quartermaster, July 9, 1879; retired March 21, 1892. He was elected colonel of the First Light Infantry Veterans in May, 1895, 1896 and 1897. He married, September 28, 1859, Harriet Elizabeth Sheldon, sister of the late Nicholas Sheldon, of Providence, whose family is elsewhere shown in this work. She died December 19, 1902, and was buried in Swan Point Cemetery. Children: 1. Fannie Sheldon, born April 8, 1861; married Arthur Warren Howe (see Howe IX). 2. Alice Rogers, January 9, 1864; married George Fuller, of Providence, October 3, 1894, and died January 31, 1901. 3. Anna Bates, October 26, 1867, resides with Mrs. Howe. 4. Howard Whitney, December 7, 1870; married June 15, 1904, Edith Colwell; he is now treasurer and manager of the Jenckes Paper Box Company. 5. John Cadman, January 2, 1875, died November 17, 1875.

(The Howland Line).

(I) Humphrey Howland, citizen and draper of London, will proved July 10, 1646; George of St. Dunstan's in the East London, also Arthur, John and Henry. The last three were to receive, by will dated May 28, 1646, eight pounds, four shillings, four pence, out of the debt "due the testator (Humphrey) by Mr. Buck, of New England," who lived at Salem, Massachusetts. Annie Howland, widow of Humphrey, was executrix of her husband's estate. She was buried at Barking, county Essex, England, December 20, 1653. The sons Arthur, John and Henry were in Scrooby, England; in 1608 went to Amsterdam, remained a year, removed to Leyden, where they remained until migrating to New England.

(II) John Howland came to this country when twenty-eight years of age, in 1620. His name was thirteenth on the list of forty-one who signed the compact in the cabin of the "Mayflower," November 21, 1620. Prince says that he was of Governor Carver's family at that time. He was one of the ten who chose the place of settlement. In the records the first mention of him is on the list of freemen, and as third in the governor's council of seven. He was an assessor in 1633; in 1636 he served on a jury, in 1666 was selectman, and deputy in 1652-56-58-61-63-66-67-70. June 2, 1670, was the last time his name was used as candidate for public office, as he was nearly eighty years of age, and refused to serve any more. He was very prominent and active in public and church work, and was manager of the colonists' interests in a trading post on the Kennebec river in Maine. He lived at what was called Rocky Nook, and died February 23, 1672-73. Although his gravestone says that he married Governor Carver's daughter, the discovery of Bradford's manuscript has proved that the governor had no daughter; the manuscript says that he married Elizabeth Tilly, daughter of John Tilly, who died before Carver did, when Elizabeth was fourteen years of age. It is probable that she was taken into the governor's family at that time. She died December 21, 1687, at the home of her daughter, Lydia Brown, in Swanzey. Her will was dated at Swanzey, December 17, 1686. Children, perhaps not in order of birth: Desire, married Captain John Gorham; John, born at Plymouth, February 24, 1627; Jabez, mentioned below; Hope, born October 30, 1629; Elizabeth; Lydia; Ruth; Hannah; Joseph; Isaac, born November 15, 1649.

(III) Jabez, son of John and Elizabeth (Tilly) Howland, was born in Plymouth, in 1628, and resided in that town for some time, filling various civil offices. He served as a lieutenant under Captain Benjamin Church, in King Phillip's war, and proved his bravery under a test made by Church for that purpose. He was a blacksmith and cooper, and settled in Bristol, Rhode Island, where he transacted a large business. His residence was on Hope street in that town, where he kept a hotel, was first town clerk of the town, also served as assessor, selectman and deputy to the general court. He was active in the construction of the First Congregational Church of Bristol, and was one of the prominent and esteemed citizens of the town. His will, made July 14, 1708, was proved April 21, 1712, and disposed of an estate valued at six hundred pounds. He married Bethiah Thatcher, daughter of Anthony Thatcher, who was a son of Rev. Peter Thatcher. Anthony Thatcher came from Sarum, England, with his second wife, Elizabeth Jones, in the ship "James," in April, 1635. The vessel was wrecked off Cape Ann August 16 of that year, and he was made administrator of the estate of Joseph Avery, one of those lost in the wreck. The general court gave to Anthony Thatcher the island on which the vessel was wrecked, March 9, 1637. He was a tailor by trade, settled first in Marblehead, whence he removed to Yarmouth, on Cape Cod, and took the oath of allegiance to the Plymouth Colony, January 7, 1639, was deputy to the general court, licensed to marry persons, and magistrate. Children, born in Plymouth: Jabez, November 15, 1670: John,

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Abbreviations

ab. init., *ab initio*, from the beginning
ad inf., *ad infinitum*, to infinity
ad loc., *ad locum*., at the place
aet., *aetatis*, aged
b., born
bapt., baptism
cem., cemetery
ch., church
co., county
comp., compiler; compiled by
d., died; d.y., died young
dep., deposited
div., division
do., ditto (the same)
ea., each
ed., editor (*pl.* eds.); edition; edited by
e.g., *exempli gratia*, for example
Esq., Esquire
et al., *et alii*, and others
etc., *et cetera*, and so forth
et seq., *et sequentes*, and the following
f., and following; (*pl.* ff)
fams., families
fig., figure
fn., footnote
fol., folio
hist., history
ibid., *ibidem*, in the same place
id., *idem*, the same
i.e., *id est*, that is
liber, book
loc. cit., *loco citato*, in the place
L.R., Land Records
mo., month
MS, manuscript; *pl.* MSS.
N.B., *nota bene*, take careful note
n.d., no date
no., number
n.p., no place; no publisher
n.s., New Style (dates after 14 Sept. 1752); new series
op. cit., *opere citato*, in the work cited
o.s., Old Style (dates before 2 Sept. 1752; old series
p., page; (*pl.* pp.)
prob., probate
prox., *proximo*, next month
pt., part
pub., publication, publisher
q.v., *quod vide*, which see
recs., records
rept., reprint, reprinted
rev., review; revised; revision
R.I.P., *requiescat in pace*; may he/she rest in peace
s.d., *sine die*, without setting a day for reconvening
sec., section
ser., series
sic, exact quotation
s.l., *sine loco*, without place
s.n., *sine anno*, without year; *sub anno*, under a year
sup., above
supp., *or* suppl., supplement
ult., *ultimo*, last month
viz., *videlicet*, namely
vol., volume
VR, vital records
vs. *or* v., *versus*, against
wid., widow
yr., year

Abbreviations

The Descendants of

JOHN HOWLAND

of the *Mayflower* for Five Generations

Volume 1

Through his First Child

Desire[2] Howland, and her husband, Captain John Gorham

1. John[1] Howland and his wife, Elizabeth Tilley

John Howland of Fenstanton, Huntingdonshire, England, a passenger on the famous ship *Mayflower*, which sailed from Plymouth, England, in the autumn of 1620, was the indentured manservant of Mr. John Carver, a wealthy Londoner, who became the first governor of New Plimoth Colony in Massachusetts. On 11 November 1620, as the ship lay at anchor in Cape Cod Bay, John Howland was the thirteenth man to sign the MAYFLOWER COMPACT, the agreement which laid the foundation for the new town that the able-bodied men on board the *Mayflower* planned to create when the group landed in what was to become Plymouth, Massachusetts.[1]

The son of Henry and Margaret Howland, John Howland was born about 1592 and grew up in Fenstanton, a town nine miles northwest of Cambridge on the old Roman Road. No baptismal record has been found for John Howland but he was said to have been "above eighty years" when he died in Rocky Nook, Kingston, near Plymouth, 23 February 1672. His father, Henry Howland, yeoman, died in Fenstanton 17 May 1635, and his mother, Margaret, was buried there 31 July 1629. The identity of this family is proved by the probate records of John's brother, Humphrey Howland, a draper, who settled in St. Swithin's Parish in London. Humphrey Howland, in his will written in London 28 May 1646 and proved 10 July 1646 by his second wife, Anne, mentioned his brothers, Arthur, John, and Henry, his sister, Margaret, wife of Richard Phillips of Fenstanton, shoemaker, his "nephew," Simon Howland, and his "niece," Hannah Howland, Simon's sister. Additional information about John

Howland's family is found in the records of the intestate estate of another brother, George Howland, a merchant of St. Dunstan's, East London, who had died two years earlier, 10 February 1643/4. His estate was administered by Humphrey Howland's wife, Anne, 11 July 1646. Simon Howland was baptized in Fenstanton 19 August 1604, called "son of Henrye," and was probably the Simon Howland who was apprenticed 19 March 1622, to Humphrey Howland, "citizen and draper of London."[2]

Two of John's brothers followed John to Plymouth. Henry Howland, the youngest brother, was apprenticed to his brother, Humphrey Howland, in London and his name is found there on the Roll of the Drapers Company, 1 October 1623. But less than ten years later, Henry arrived in Plymouth where he was taxed 25 March 1633. John's oldest brother, Arthur Howland, soon followed his younger brothers to New England and was listed by Thomas Lechford 28 August 1640 as "of Duxbury in New England, Planter."[3] Thus the progenitors of three separate Howland families arrived in Plymouth Colony during the first twenty years of its existence, making it difficult to sort out and identify their many descendants.

John Howland of the *Mayflower* was called by Governor William Bradford "a lusty younge man." He was one of the hired hands among the *Mayflower* company, being neither a "Saint," as the Pilgrims were called, nor a "Stranger," engaged for a specific duty, as was the soldier, Captain Myles Standish.[4] During the voyage across the North Atlantic, the *Mayflower* was buffeted by severe autumn storms during which she was forced to drop her sails and head into the wind, wallowing in the mountainous waves. John Howland ventured on deck and was washed overboard into the boiling sea. In Governor Bradford's words, "It pleased God that he caught hould of ye halliards which hunge over board, and rane out at length; yet he was held up . . . and then with a boat hooke and other means got into ye ship again."[5] It was this tenacity of purpose, perseverance, and the ability to deal with unexpected emergencies that helped John Howland to become a successful leader in the Plymouth community.

The Carver family with whom John lived, survived the terrible sickness of the first winter, during which many Pilgrims died. But the following spring, on an unusually hot day in April, Governor Carver, according to Bradford, came out of his cornfield feeling ill. He passed into a coma and "never spake more." His wife, Kathrine, died soon after her husband.[6] Since the Carvers had no children, John Howland is thought to have inherited their estate. It has been said that he immediately "bought his freedom" but no record has survived.[7]

On or about what was then New Year's Day, 25 March 1623 (old style), John Howland married his fellow *Mayflower* passenger, Elizabeth Tilley. Elizabeth was baptized at Henlow, Huntingdonshire, England, 30

August 1607, the fifth and youngest child of a silk-weaver named John Tilley, and his wife, Joan (Hurst) Rogers. She was the only child of her parents recorded as coming with them to America.[8] At the time of her marriage she was not quite sixteen years of age.

The early records of the Colony of New Plymouth contain an account of the Division of Land in 1623, in which John Howland, as head of a household, received four acres "on the Southside of the brook to the woodward." According to one researcher, John Howland was given one share (or acre) in his own right and three shares for his wife, Elizabeth Tilley, and her deceased parents, John and Joan Tilley.[9] But Franklyn Howland, author of *The History of Arthur, Henry and John Howland and Their Descendants*, states that Governor Carver's family consisted of John Carver, himself, his wife, Kathrine, John Howland, Desire Minter, a man servant named Roger Wilder, a boy, Jasper More, a boy, William Latham, and an unnamed servant maid. When Elizabeth Tilley's parents, John and Joan Tilley, and her uncle, Edward Tilley, died the first winter, Elizabeth became part of the Carver household. Roger Wilder died the first winter. Governor Carver died a few months later, in April 1621, and his wife died in May 1621. The boy, Jasper More, died 6 December 1621, and the servant maid died soon after. That left John Howland as the head of the household containing four people, the other three being Elizabeth Tilley, Desire Minter and the lad, William Latham.[10]

Desire Minter, one of the members of John Howland's household, had come in the *Mayflower* with the Carvers. Desire must have been no more fifteen years of age when she arrived in Plymouth. She was the daughter of William and Sarah (Willet) Minter, members of the group of Separatists living in Leiden. Her father, William Minter, died before 1618 and her mother, Sarah, married Roger Symondsen in Leiden 18 August 1618. Roger was accompanied to his wedding by his friends, Daniel Fairfield and John Carver.[11] It was this same John Carver in whose care Desire Minter sailed in the *Mayflower* for Plymouth in 1620. Desire's mother was widowed a second time and, before 10 May 1622, she married her third husband, Roger Eastman. On that date Roger and Sarah Eastman signed an agreement with Thomas Brewer, the philanthropist who had supported Elder William Brewster's printing press in Leiden. In the agreement Thomas Brewer of Leiden was entrusted with 1,900 guilders to be invested, out of which he was to pay 120 guilders annually for the benefit and support of Desire Minter, Sarah's child by her first husband. Payment was to continue until the child reached the age of twenty-one. The contract was drawn up in the presence of John Kebel and William Jepson.[12]

Thomas Brewer returned to England where he was arrested for his support of the Pilgrim Separatists. On 20 October 1623, Roger Eastman,

Sarah's third husband, authorized John Kebel and William Jepson to collect Desire Minter's money from Thomas Brewer, who was in prison at this time.[13] This would seem to indicate that Desire Minter was about fifteen years old when she traveled to Plymouth with John Carver and his wife, Kathrine, in 1620. She was still a minor when her mother and stepfather, Sarah and Roger Eastman, signed the second contract in Leiden in 1623. Therefor she was still under twenty-one, when she was living in the household of the newly married John and Elizabeth (Tilley) Howland at the time the Division of Land was made in 1623.

A few years later, Desire Minter returned to England, perhaps to claim her inheritance. She may have rejoined her mother and stepfather there for, on 1 December 1623, Roger and Sarah Eastman obtained a notarized statement of good character from Thomas Nashe and William Jepson, when they were planning to leave Leiden.[14] John and Elizabeth Howland were very fond of Desire Minter and named their first child "Desire," in her honor.

In 1626 John Howland became one of the forty-two colonists who assumed Plymouth Colony's debt of £1800 owed to the Merchant Adventurers of London. In order to pay off this mortgage, a monopoly in the Colony's trade was granted to William Bradford, Isaac Allerton and Myles Standish, who chose John Howland as one of their partners, or undertakers, in the project. Later they established a trading post far to the northward, on the Kennebec River, at the present site of Augusta, Maine. John was put in charge of the trading post and a brisk trade developed there in beaver, otter and other furs gathered by the Indians.[15] John's family may have spent some time with him in Maine, and some of his children may have been born there.

When the Division of Cattle was made 1 June 1627, (new style), only forty-two of the original group of ninety-nine people who reached Plymouth in the *Mayflower* were still living there. All of the members of each family were listed in the records, including John and Elizabeth Howland, who now had two children, Desire and John, Jr.[16] Eight more children were born to them in the ensuing years, whom they named Hope, Elizabeth, Lydia, Hannah, Joseph, Jabez, Ruth and Isaac.[17]

In 1633 John Howland was made a freeman of Plymouth. During his lifetime he was appointed or elected to many public offices. In 1641, 1645, 1647 and 1648 he represented Plymouth at the General Court. In August 1643 he and his son, John, Jr., were listed among the men in Plymouth, aged 16 to 60, who were able to bear arms. In 1641 and 1644, and from 1647 to 1651, John Howland was one of the assessors of Plymouth. In 1650 he was a surveyor of highways. In 1652 and 1659, and from 1661 to 1668, and again in 1670, he was a Deputy to the General Court. In 1655 and 1666 he was a selectman in Plymouth.[18]

In 1639 the Old Comers were given a choice of several additional plantations for themselves and their heirs, around Yarmouth, Dartmouth and Rehoboth. Part of the land which John Howland chose was in Yarmouth, out on Cape Cod, where his son, John, Jr., and daughters, Desire (Howland) Gorham and Hope (Howland) Chipman, settled. It was also in the early part of 1639 that John paid £82 for John Jenny's land and dwelling house at Rocky Nook, now in Kingston but then part of Plymouth, which had been built in 1628. And there he lived with his family for the rest of his life.[19]

John Howland also owned a tract of land in Marshfield. Among the deeds that have survived the vicissitudes of time is one that settled an argument between John Howland, Sr., Thomas Bourne and John Dingley, concerning the boundaries of a "parcel" of marsh meadow there. It was agreed that "the line or Range shall begin att the beach next the sea upon a west line sett by a compas to a homacke in the marsh where there lves an Old Ceader tree there being noe other nor no more trees next to the great Iland but that onely And from the aforesaid west line to the Basse creek To which agreement all the aforesaid parties freely assented unto as aforesaid; alsoe that this agreement bee upon Record both att Marshfield and the court booke att Plymouth to avoid all further Diference for time to Come about the prmises; in witness whereof we the said John Howland senir: Thomas Bourne and John Dingley have put to our hands this fourth of May 1655." This document was signed in the presence of Myles Standish and recorded in 1656.[20]

The following year, on 5 March 1657, John Howland exchanged land in Marshfield for a "farme of land" in the Township of Barnstable owned by Christopher Winter, described as "the Govrs farmes," since it had belonged to Governor Bradford. It contained "fourscore and ten acres of upland according to the bounds be it more or less and ten acres of meddow . . . lying next unto the land of William Crocker." The exchange was acknowledged by Mr. John Howland and Christopher Winter in Plymouth.[21] The ownership of this land was confirmed by deed to John Howland, Jr., 10 January 1667/8, when John, Sr., made a gift to him of "upland and meadows at Barnstable being late in possession of John Howland, Jr."[22]

John Howland, Sr., died in Rocky Nook 23 February 1672/3. In his will dated 29 May 1672, John mentioned his beloved wife, Elizabeth, and his children, named as John, called "eldest son," Jabez, Isacke, and Joseph, and his married daughters, Desire Gorum (*sic*), Hope Chipman, Elizabeth Dickinson, Lydia Browne, Hannah Bosworth and Ruth Cushman. John Howland also mentioned his grandchild, Elizabeth Howland, "daughter of son John." The inventory of his estate included his dwelling house in Rocky Nook, meadow at the Jones River, half of a house and meadow in

Colchester, a meadow near the Jones River bridge in Duxborrow, a house and land in Middlebury, and land near Nemassakett Pond. Also listed among his possessions were "one great Bible and Annotations on the five books of Moses," as well as "Mr. Tindall's workes, Mr. Wilson's workes and seven more books."[23]

John's widow, Elizabeth, died in Swansea, 21/31 December 1687, at 80 years of age, in the home of her daughter, Lydia Browne. Three of her daughters Desire Gorham, Hope Chipman and Ruth Cushman had already died, leaving heirs. In her will dated 17 December 1686, Elizabeth Howland named her sons, John, Jabez, Joseph and Isaac, her son-in-law James Browne, her surviving daughters Lydia Browne, Elizabeth Dickason (*sic*), and Hannah Bosworth, her granddaughters Elizabeth Bursley, Dorothy Browne and Desire Cushman, and her grandsons Nathaniel Howland and James and Jabez Browne. She charged her children to "walke in ye Fear of ye Lord, and in love and peace toward each other."[24]

Children (**Howland**), first three probably born in Plymouth, Mass., next three possibly born in Maine, last four born in Rocky Nook, now Kingston, Mass.:[25]

+1 i. **Desire**[2], born probably in 1625.
ii. **John**, born 24, 2, 1627 [24 April 1627].
iii. **Hope**, born 30 August 1629.
iv. **Elizabeth**, born about 1631.
v. **Lydia**, born about 1633.
vi. **Hannah**, born about 1637.
vii. **Joseph**, born about 1640.
viii. **Jabez**, born about 1644.
ix. **Ruth**, born about 1646.
x. **Isaac**, born 15 November 1649.

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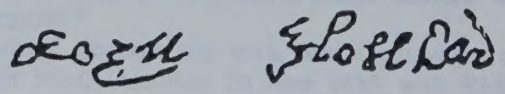
John Howland's Signature

John Howland's signature has been reproduced in several books published since 1849. All of the signatures are similar in appearance and appear to have been copied from an earlier, unidentified source. The original document has never been located.



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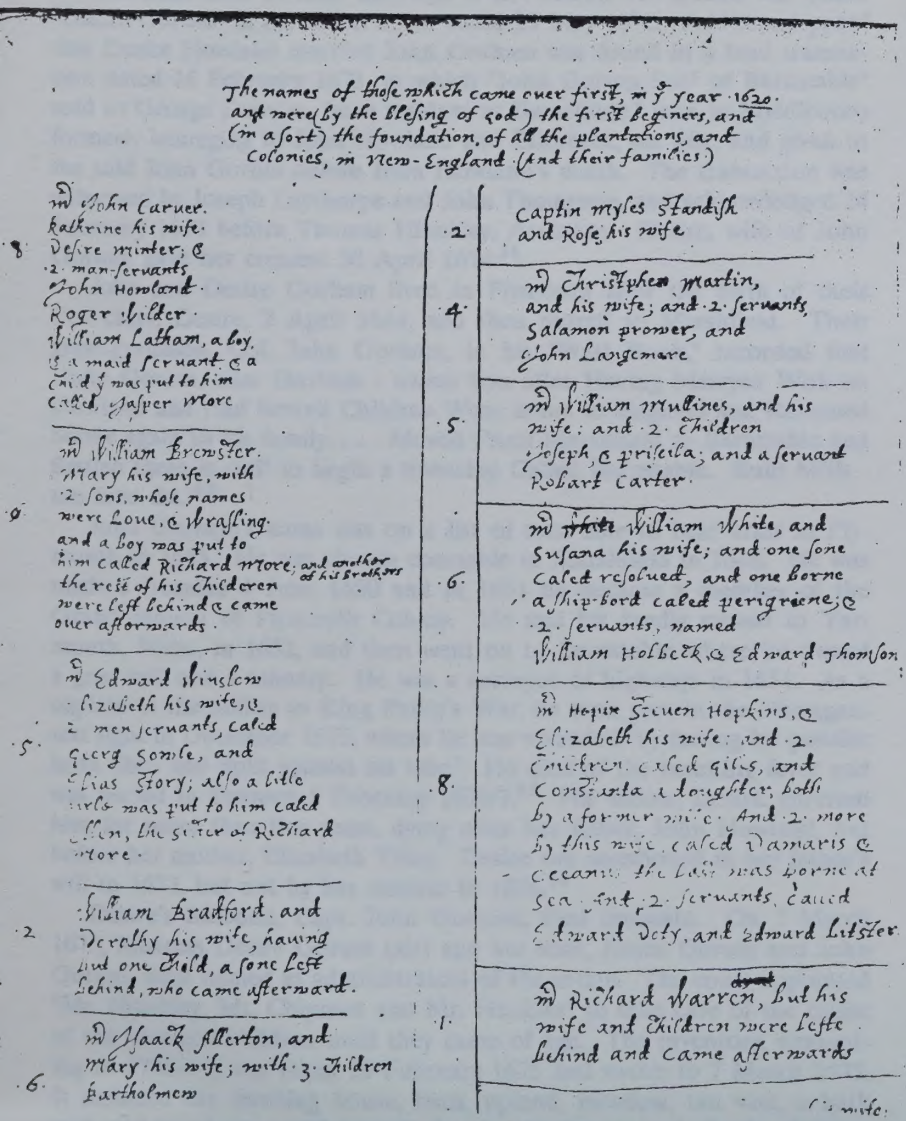
The names of those which came over first, in ye year 1620. and were (by the blesing of god) the first beginers, and (in a sort) the foundation, of all the plantations, and Colonies, in New-England (And their families)

8 Mr John Carver. Kathrine his wife. Desire Minter; & 2. man-servants John Howland. Roger Wilder. William Latham, a boy, & a maid servant & a child ye was put to him called Jasper More

9 Mr William Brewster. Mary his wife, with 2 sons, whose names were Love, & Wrasling. and a boy was put to him called Richard More; and another of his brothers the rest of his Childeren were left behind & came over afterwards.

5 Mr Edward Winslow Elizabeth his wife, & 2 men servants, caled Georg Sowle, and Elias Story; also a litle girls was put to him caled Ellen, the sister of Richard More.

2 William Bradford and Dorothy his wife, having but one Child, a sone left behind, who came afterward.

6 Mr Isaack Allerton, and Mary his wife; with 3. Children Bartholmew

2 Captin Myles Standish and Rose his wife

4 Mr Christphen Martin, and his wife; and 2. servants, Salamon Prower, and John Langemore

5 Mr William Mullines, and his wife; and 2. Children Joseph, & Priscila; and a servant Robart Carter.

6 Mr ~~White~~ William White, and Susana his wife; and one sone caled resolved, and one borne a ship-bord caled Perigriene; & 2. servants, named William Holbeck, & Edward Thomson

8 Mr Hopin Steuen Hopkins, & Elizabeth his wife; and 2. Children caled Giles, and Constanta a doughter, both by a former wife. And 2. more by this wife, caled Damaris & Oceanus the last was borne at Sea. And 2. servants, called Edward Doty, and Edward Litster.

1 Mr Richard Warren, but his wife and Children were left behind and came afterwards

Fig. 1. "The Names of Those Which Came Over First." Upper portion of a page from Governor William Bradford's manuscript, "Of Plimoth Plantation," in which Governor Bradford listed the names of the *Mayflower* passengers and the family groups to which they belonged. This list was reproduced in William Bradford, *History of Plimoth Plantation*, (Boston 1898), p. 530.

SECOND GENERATION

2. Desire[2] Howland and Captain John Gorham

1. **Desire[2] Howland** (*John[1]*) was born in Plymouth, Mass., about 1625 or 1626,[1] the daughter of John and Elizabeth (Tilley) Howland. Desire and her brother, John, were listed with their parents in the Division of Cattle in Plymouth, 22 May 1627 (old style), 1 June 1627 (new style). John's birth date, 24, 2, 1627 (old style) [24 April 1627], was recorded by Judge Sewall who met John[2] Howland on the road and asked him when he was born. Therefore, Desire must have been the eldest child, born one year or eighteen months earlier than John. Desire died in Barnstable, Mass., 13 October 1683.[2]

Desire Howland married in Plymouth, about 1643 **John Gorham,**[3] who was baptized in Benefield, Northamptonshire, England, 28 January 1620/1,[4] the son of Ralph Gorham. Capt. John Gorham was buried in Swansea, Mass, 5 February 1675/6.[5]

The Northamptonshire branch of the Gorhams are supposed to have descended from Sir Hugh de Gorham and his wife, Margaret, daughter of Sir William l'Angevin. Sir Hugh de Gorham, in 1281, possessed the manor of Churchfield in the parish of Oundle, and land in Benefield which had belonged to his wife's father. More than three hundred years later, the baptism of "John Gorram, son of Ralph Gorram" was entered in the Benefield register.[6]

A John Gorham, perhaps this man, was a passenger on board the *Philip*, bound for North America, 20 June 1635, with Richard Morgan, master.[7] A Ralph Gorham was granted land in Plymouth 2 October 1637 for a house and garden. On 5 March 1637/8, he complained against Frances Sprague. A year later, "Ralph Gorham the older" was presented for breaking the peace. On 1 September 1640 he complained against Ralph Smith and on 2 March 1640/1 Smith complained against Ralph Gorham. On 5 April 1640 he sued Tristram Clark and John Crab for debt.[8] He then disappeared from Plymouth records.

On 8 March 1648 Desire's father, John Howland, sold to his "son-in-law, John Gorum," half of the lands in Marshfield that he had bought from Governor William Bradford.[9] In 1672, Desire's mother, Elizabeth Howland, "wife of Mr. John Howland, deceased, came into court at Plymouth and acknowledged that she freely gave and surrendered rights in the lands of her late husband lying in Namasket in the township of Middleboro to Mr. John Gorum of Barnstable,"[10]

The exact date of their marriage is not known but Desire was called "Desire Gorum" in her father's will dated 29 May 1672. Additional proof that Desire Howland married John Gorham was found in a land transaction dated 16 February 1673, in which "John Gorum Sen[r] of Barnstable" sold to George Dawson, "now resident at Barnstable," land in Middleboro formerly belonging to John Howland and Elizabeth, his wife, and given to the said John Gorum before John Howland's death. The transaction was witnessed by Joseph Laythorpe and John Thompson, and acknowledged 24 February 1673 before Thomas Hinckley, Assistant. Desire, wife of John Gorum, gave her consent 30 April 1674.[11]

John and Desire Gorham lived in Plymouth after the birth of their first child, Desire, 2 April 1644, and then moved to Marshfield. Their great-grandson, Col. John Gorham, in his "Wast Book," recorded that "John Gorum, alias Gorham - which Son after Having Marryed With an Howland and Had Sevrall Children Went home to England and Returned Soone again to his family. . . . Moved From Marshfield to Barnstable and Settled there in ord[r] to begin a township Called Barnstable. Built Mills - tan fatts &c."[12]

John Gorham's name was on a list of men able to bear arms in Plymouth in 1643. He was chosen constable in Marshfield in 1648. He was made a freeman 4 June 1650 and in 1651 he became a member of the Grand Inquest of Plymouth Colony. He and his family moved to Yarmouth, Mass., in 1652, and then went on to Barnstable where he owned a grist mill and a tannery. He was a surveyor of highways in 1654. As a captain in the militia in King Philip's War, he took part in the Narragansett fight in December 1675, where he was wounded "by having his powder horn Shot and Split against his side," He died of the resulting fever and was buried in Swansea 5 February 1676/7.[13] His widow, Desire, survived him for more than five years, dying after her father, John Howland, but before her mother, Elizabeth Tilley. Desire was mentioned in her father's will in 1672, but not by her mother in 1686.[14]

Desire's husband, Capt. John Gorham, died intestate. On 7 March 1675, Mistress Desire Gorum (*sic*) and her sons, James Gorum and John Gorum, were named as administrators of the estate. The court appointed "Mr. Hinckley, Mr. Chipman and Mr. Huckins" to take care of the estate of the youngest children until they came of age. The inventory, amounting to £710-4-3, was taken 29 February 1675 and sworn to 7 March 1675. It included the dwelling house, barn, upland, meadow, tan vats, a bark mill, and two houses and tools "belonging to the taning." In the division of Capt. John Gorham's estate, dated Plymouth 7 March 1676/7, widow Desire Gorham received her dower thirds. Son James received "the dwelling house he now lives in," with the barn and half of the upland. Son John Gorham received the tan vats, bark mill, tools, stock and the other half of the upland. Son Joseph was given forty acres of land next to Joseph Hallet's land, and some meadow. The rest of the estate was divided into five equal parts among the rest of the children, who were named as Jabez, Mercy, Lydia, Hannah and Shubael Gorum. Shubael was allotted £50 for the costs of his education, in addition to receiving his share of the estate. Three married daughters, Desire, Temperance and Elizabeth, had already received £40 each. If there should be an overplus, the married daughters were to share equally with the other children, except that James, the eldest son, was to have a double share.[15]

The inventory of Desire's estate was dated 3 August 1683, more than two months before her death, 13 October 1683. On 5 March 1683/4, the Assistants of Plymouth Colony, Gov. Hinckley, Major Bradford, Deputy Gov. Mr. Freeman, Mr. Lothrop and Mr. Thacher, "with the mutual consent of the children then appearing," named as James, John and Joseph Gorham, and with the consent of the sons-in-law, agreed that the eldest son James would receive a double share, according to custom, and the rest of the children, namely John, Joseph, Jabez, Shubael, Desire, Temperance, Elizabeth, deceased, Mercy, Lydia and Hannah, should have an equal portion. As Elizabeth had died, they agreed that her children, not named, "should have an equal part that did belong to their mother."[16]

Children (**Gorham**), born in Plymouth, Marshfield, Yarmouth and Barnstable, Mass.:[17]

+2 i. **Desire[3]**, born in Plymouth, 2 April 1644.
+3 ii. **Temperance**, born in Marshfield, 5 May 1646.
+4 iii. **Elizabeth**, born in Marshfield, 2 April 1648.
+5 iv. **James**, born in Marshfield, 28 April 1650.
+6 v. **John**, born in Marshfield, 20 February 1651/2.
+7 vi. **Joseph**, born in Yarmouth, 16 February 1653/4.
+8 vii. **Jabez**, born in Barnstable, 3 August 1656.
+9 viii. **Mercy**, born in Barnstable, 20 January 1658.
+10 ix. **Lydia**, born in Barnstable, 11 November 1661.
+11 x. **Hannah**, born in Barnstable, 28 November 1663.
+12 xi. **Shubael**, born in Barnstable, 21 October 1667.

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3. The Children of Desire[2] Howland

2. **Desire Gorham**[3] (*Desire*[2] *Howland, John*[1]) was born in Plymouth, Mass., 2 April 1644,[1] the daughter of Capt. John and Desire (Howland) Gorham. She died in Yarmouth, Mass., 30 June 1700, aged 56 years.[2]

Desire Gorham married in Barnstable, Mass., 7 October 1661 **John Hawes** of Yarmouth,[3] who was born probably in Duxbury, Mass., between 1635 and 1640,[4] the son of Edmund Hawes. Capt. John Hawes died in Yarmouth 11 November 1701.[5]

When the intestate estate of her father, Capt. John Gorham, was settled in March 1676/7, Desire was one of the married daughters who had already received £40 but, if there should be an overplus, she and her married sisters were to share it equally with the other children. Desire also shared in the estate of her mother, Desire (Howland) Gorham in March 1683/4. Her husband was one of Desire Gorham's sons-in-law who agreed that the children of Desire's deceased sister, Elizabeth, should have their mother's portion.[6]

John Hawes's father, Edmund Hawes of Yarmouth, in his will dated 5 May 1692, probated 20 July 1693, mentioned his son John and his "daughter Desire, wife of my sd son John." He made bequests to his grandsons Joseph, Jabez, John, and Edmond, "if he come again," as well as to Ebenezer, Isaac and Benjamin. He also remembered his granddaughters Desire Hawes, Elizabeth Dogged, Mary Bacon and Experience Hawes. Son John Hawes was named executor.[7]

John Hawes was a cutler. He served as a representative to the General Court for two years, starting in 1696.[8] According to Col. John Gorham's "Wast Book," Capt. John Hawes of Yarmouth, "having his Leg Cut of Dyed with it."[9]

In his will dated 15 October 1701, probated 19 November 1701, John Hawes of Yarmouth gave his son, Isaac, his house and barn, except that two unmarried daughters, Desire and Experience, were to have liberty to dwell in the east end of the house. He also mentioned his other sons, Ebenezer, Joseph, John and Benjamin, and his married daughters, Mary Bacon and Elizabeth Doggett. Sons Joseph and Isaac were appointed executors. Witnesses were John, Peter and Josiah Thacher. The inventory, taken 25 November 1701, amounted to £629-8-4. Major John Gorham and John Thacher, Esq., were named as overseers of the will.[10]

Children (**Hawes**), born in Yarmouth, Mass.:[11]

+13 i. **Elizabeth**[4], born 5 October 1661 (*sic*); probably ought to be 1662; she certainly was not born two days before her parents' marriage.

+14 ii. **Mary**, born 10 June 1664.

iii. **Edmund**, born 2 May 1669; mentioned in grandfather's will in 1692; not named in father's will in 1701; an Edmund Hawes, possibly another man of the same name, was a selectman and assessor in Chatham in 1707.[12]

+15 iv. **John**, born 14 May 1671.

+16 v. **Joseph**, born 16 July 1673.

vi. **Jabez**, born 20 May 1675, died between 31 March 1693 and 15 October 1701; mentioned in grandfather's will in 1692 but not in father's will in 1701.

+17 vii. **Ebenezer**, born 24 March 1678/9.

+18 viii. **Isaac**, born 9 March 1679/80.

+19 ix. **Desire**, born last of February 1681/2.

+20 x. **Benjamin**, born 20 March 1682/3.

+21 xi. **Experience**, born 24 September 1686.

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3. **Temperance Gorham**[3] (*Desire*[2] *Howland, John*[1]) was born in Marshfield, Mass., 5 May 1646,[1] the daughter of Capt. John and Desire (Howland) Gorham. She died in Yarmouth, Mass., 12 March 1714/5.[2]

Temperance Gorham married first, in 1663 **Edward Sturgis**,[3] who was born possibly in Charlestown, Mass., 10 April 1642,[4] the son of Edward and Elizabeth (Hinckley) Sturgis. Edward died in Yarmouth 8 November 1678.[5] Edward was a brother of Hannah (Sturgis) Gray who married Temperance's brother, Jabez Gorham, and of Sarah Sturgis who married another brother, Joseph Gorham.

Temperance, called "the widow Sturgis," married second, in Yarmouth 27 January 1679/80 **Thomas Baxter**,[6] who was born in England about 1653.[7] Thomas died in Yarmouth 22 June 1713, in his 60th year, and was buried in the Ancient Cemetery in Yarmouth.[8]

Edward Sturgis, Jr., Temperance's first husband, died intestate. Sixteen years after his death, when his youngest son, also named Edward, came of age, the "Court of Plimouth" settled his estate, 5 April 1694, recorded 8 May 1694. It was divided among his four sons, named as Joseph Sturgis, who received "the first division" of property and, called eldest son, was given a larger share worth an extra £20; Samuel Sturgis, who was given "the fourth division"; James Sturgis, who was given "the third division"; and Edward Sturgis, who received the second division." His widow, Temperance, and his daughters were mentioned, but not named, in the division of the estate. Temperance's second husband, Thomas Baxter, was called her "now" husband by the Plymouth Court, 2 March 1697.[9]

Thomas Baxter was a bricklayer. Col. John Gorham, writing in his "Wast Book," begun at Louisbourg, August 28th 1745, called Thomas Baxter "an Old England man - Lived at Yarmouth."[10] Thomas was a soldier in Capt. Gorham's company in King Philip's War in 1675 and was wounded in the first expedition. For his services, on 18 April 1735, the heirs of Thomas Baxter of Yarmouth were made grantees of Narragansett township.[11] Thomas lived at South Sea, now West Yarmouth, where he built a fulling mill and a grist mill.[12] Researchers have confused him with Captain Thomas Baxter, a pirate, and his son, also named Thomas, who lived in New Amsterdam (New York City), and in Fairfield and Wethersfield, Conn. The pirate's son, Thomas Baxter, Jr., died in Westchester, New York, in 1714, one year after Thomas Baxter of Yarmouth died in Yarmouth, Mass., 22 June 1713. There is no known relationship between these two separate Thomas Baxter families.[13]

Temperance and her second husband, Thomas Baxter of Yarmouth, and their eldest son, John Baxter, were further identified by the will of Tooto, servant of Temperance's mother, Desire[2] (Howland) Gorham, dated 22 December 1691, and proved in Barnstable, 2 January 1691/2. In his will, Tooto gave his house and land to "John Baxter, Thomas Baxter's eldest son," who was then eleven years of age. Tooto also gave Temperance Baxter his "moveables and household stuff," and his old riding horse. Tooto left his two oxen in the hands of "Mr. Baxter," to pay for his burial "as neer his mistres [Desire Howland's] feet as may conveniently be."[14]

Thomas Baxter of Yarmouth, in his will dated "about" 2 June 1713, probated 9 July 1713, bequeathed to Temperance, his beloved wife, one-third of his income and his "great new house," during her natural life. He mentioned his sons Shoball, John and Thomas Baxter. He gave his son Thomas some land in Yarmouth on condition that, if he should sell it, then "his two children att Coneicticut: Timothy, ye son & the Daughter he had by his wife shall have secured to them Twenty five pounds apiece." The will was witnessed by John Gorham, Sr., John Gorham, Jr., and Anne Gorham, who made her mark. Thomas Baxter's inventory included negro slaves and mulatto servants valued at £84-4-7. His total estate amounted to more than £579-14-7.[15]

Temperance (Gorham) (Sturgis) Baxter died intestate. The inventory of her estate was taken 8 April 1715 by John Gorham, James Gorham and Josiah Miller. Her real estate was divided between her sons John, Thomas and Shubael Baxter, with John Baxter, as the eldest son of her second marriage, receiving a double portion. Her remaining personal estate was divided among "all the children of the sd Temperance Baxter *both* the sons and Daughters both what she had by her Last as also by her former Husband, onely Joseph Sturgis the Eldest son to have a Duble part or Shear thereof."[16] Although Temperance's daughters were not mentioned by name in the division of her estate, the first daughter was certainly Desire Sturgis, named for her grandmother, Desire Howland, and for her aunt, Desire Gorham. Proof was found in the will of widow Elizabeth Hore of Yarmouth, dated 20 May 1680, in which she bequeathed her largest pewter dish "to Desier Sturgis eldest Daughter to Temperance Baxter,"[17] The second daughter was Thankful Sturgis whose husband, Peter Thacher, called Thankful's mother, Temperance (Gorham) (Sturgis) Baxter, "Mother Baxter" in his will dated 6 January 1735/6.[18] The third daughter was Fear Sturgis, youngest child of Edward and Temperance Sturgis, who may have been given the unusual name of "Fear" by her mother because her father was dying or was already dead, making her mother "fear" for the future, a common reason for unusual names in that era. Fear's brothers Joseph and James, and her sisters, Thankful and Desire, each named a daughter "Fear."

Children, born in Yarmouth, Mass.:[19]
Children (**Sturgis**), by her first husband, Edward Sturgis:

+22 i. **Joseph**[4], born about 1664.
+23 ii. **Samuel**, born about 1665.
+24 iii. **Desire**, born about 1666.
+25 iv. **James**, born about 1668.
+26 v. **Edward**, born about 1673.
+27 vi. **Thankful**, born 20 May 1675.
+28 vii. **Fear**, born about 1678.

Children (**Baxter**), by her second husband, Thomas Baxter:

+29 viii. **John**, born about 1680.
+30 ix. **Thomas**, born about 1685.
+31 x. **Shubael**, born about 1687.

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4. **Elizabeth Gorham**[3] (*Desire*[2] *Howland, John*[1]) was born in Marshfield, Mass., 2 April 1648,[1] the daughter of Capt. John and Desire (Howland) Gorham. Elizabeth died before 5 March 1683/4,[2] the date her mother's estate was divided among her brothers and sisters and her children, who were to receive her share, but who were not named.

Elizabeth Gorham married, probably in Barnstable, Mass., before 5 March 1666/7 **Joseph Hallett**,[3] who was born in England in 1630, the son of Andrew Hallett, Sr., and his wife Mary.[4] Joseph Hallett died after 30 June 1715, the date he was mentioned in the intestate probate records of his grandson, Samuel Fuller of Middleboro, Mass., and before 20 June 1721, when Joseph Hallett's share in the division of common lands in Barnstable, which had become part of the estate of Jabez Fuller, his son-in-law, was divided among his Fuller grandchildren, at his daughter's request.[5]

The date of Elizabeth Gorham's marriage to Joseph Hallett has not been found but, on 5 March 1666/7, Joseph and his wife, Elizabeth were fined £10 by the Plymouth Court "for committing carnal copulation before marriage or contract."[6]

Joseph Hollott (*sic*), shoemaker, was listed as a debtor in the inventory of the estate of Capt. William Hedge of Yarmouth, Mass., taken 15 July 1670 by Thomas Howes and John Thacher.[7] Joseph's house stood next to that of Elizabeth's brother, James Gorham. Joseph was a townsman in Barnstable in 1670 and was allotted one acre in the division of the common meadow in 1697. He was not named in the division of common lands in 1706, indicating that, before that date, he had moved away, perhaps to Middleboro, with his daughter, Mary, and her husband, Jabez Fuller.[8] His land in Barnstable became the property of his brother-in-law, James Gorham.[9]

Elizabeth was alive and married when her father's estate was settled in 1676, but she had died before her mother's estate was settled 5 March 1683/4. On that date it was agreed by Governor Hinckley, Major Bradford, Deputy Governor Mr. Freeman, Mr. Lothrop and Mr. Thacher, Assistants, "with the mutual consent of the children then appearing, James, John and Joseph Gorham, and with the consent of the sons-in-law, that son James would receive a double share, and the rest of the children would have equal shares, namely John, Joseph, Jabez, Shubael, Desire,

Temperance, Elizabeth, deceased, Mercy, Lydia and Hannah." As Elizabeth was deceased, it was agreed that Elizabeth's children "should have an equal part that did belong to their mother."[10] The children were not named.

No probate records for either Joseph or Elizabeth Hallett have been found in Barnstable, Plymouth or Bristol Counties, nor have they been located in Connecticut. There are no birth, baptismal nor town records for any children of this couple in Barnstable where they lived. When Philip L. Cobb published his *History of the Cobb Family* in 1907, claims were made that this couple had three daughters, Mary Hallett who married Jabez Fuller in Sandwich "about 1686," Lois Hallett who married Henry Cobb in Barnstable, 3 September 1690, and moved to Stonington, Conn., and Elizabeth Hallett who married James Cobb in Barnstable 18 September 1695. The Mayflower Society has accepted Lois Hallett and Mary Hallett as daughters of Elizabeth Gorham and Joseph Hallett, but it has refused to accept Elizabeth Hallett who married James Cobb. Amos Otis, in his *Barnstable Families*, did not identify the parents of any of these Hallett daughters when he recorded the marriages of two of them, Lois to Henry Cobb and Elizabeth to James Cobb. However, in the Hallett section, he called Lois Hallett Joseph's daughter. Otis did not identify Jabez Fuller's wife at all.[11]

After a great deal of research, proof that the Mary Hallett who married Jabez Fuller was a daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth (Gorham) Hallett was found in the probate records of Mary (Hallett) Fuller's son, Samuel Fuller, who died intestate in Middleboro before 4 March 1714/5, the date his brother, Jonathan Fuller, was appointed to administer Samuel's estate. Samuel died "without wife or child." In the inventory of his estate is the statement, "Also the sum of six pounds due from the estate of their father, Jabez Fuller, paid since his decease by his widow [Mary (Hallett) Fuller] *towards the maintenance of Joseph Hallett, the said widow's father & now to be repaid by the said Jonathan to his said mother £6.* . . . Jonathan has the homestead in Middleboro which was his father's, also the other lands in Middleboro & Plympton formerly set off to sd. Samuel."[12]

It appears that Joseph Hallett gave his Barnstable property to his daughter and son-in-law, Mary and Jabez Fuller, in return for lifetime payments of £6 per year. This was a common occurrence in colonial times, although usually the parents deeded their farm to a child with the right to live on the property until their deaths. Joseph Hallett may have included his other children in the agreement, because the probate records of his grandson, Samuel Fuller, say, "Paid by [Jabez Fuller's] widow *towards* the maintenance of Joseph Hallett."[13] However, the original agreement has not been found.

When Jabez and Mary (Hallett) Fuller moved to Middleboro, the responsibility for the payment to Joseph Hallett became attached to the new property the Fullers bought in Middleboro because, when son Jonathan Fuller inherited the property after the death of his father, he became liable for the payments to his grandfather, Joseph Hallett.

Proof that Lois and Elizabeth Hallett were the daughters of Elizabeth Gorham and Joseph Hallett is more tenuous. The given name, "Lois," is very unusual in Barnstable County. Mary Hallett, the proven daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth (Gorham) Hallett, named her third daughter, Lois Fuller. Therefore the Lois Hallett who was born in Barnstable about 1672 and married Henry Cobb in Barnstable 10 April 1690,[14] before moving to Stonington, Conn., in 1715,[15] was certainly Mary Hallett's sister and, therefore, a daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth (Gorham) Hallett.

Proof that Elizabeth Hallett was a daughter of Joseph and Elizabeth (Gorham) Hallett rests solely on two facts. Elizabeth Hallett married James Cobb in Barnstable 18 September 1695, when she would have been at least sixteen or seventeen years old. Elizabeth (Hallett) Cobb's year of birth took place before 1678 or 1679 because she died in Barnstable 1 April 1759, aged "above 80."[16] Her mother, Elizabeth (Gorham) Hallett was living in 1676 when her father, Capt. John Gorham, died, but was dead when her mother's estate was settled 5 March 1683/4. Therefore it is reasonable to think that Elizabeth (Gorham) Hallett died when her daughter, Elizabeth, was born, and the baby was named for her. Until we can find some court record to prove it, this identification has to remain as "probable."

Children (**Hallett**), born in Barnstable, Mass.:[17]

+32 i. **Mary**[4], born about 1666/7; her first child was born in 1687.

+33 ii. **Lois**, born about 1672, estimated from her marriage date.

iii. ?? **Elizabeth**, born before 1678 or 1679, estimated from her death date.

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5. **James Gorham**[3] (*Desire*[2] *Howland, John*[1]) was born in Marshfield, Mass., 28 April 1650,[1] the son of Capt. John and Desire (Howland) Gorham. He died in Barnstable, Mass., in November or December 1707.[2]

James Gorham married in Barnstable 24 February 1673 **Hannah Huckins**,[3] who was born in Barnstable 14 October 1653,[4] the daughter of Thomas and Rose (——) (Hillyer) Huckins. Hannah died in Barnstable 13 February 1727/8.[5]

James Gorham was a farmer. On 1 June 1675 he was a member of the Grand Inquest. In June 1689 he was admitted as a Freeman of Barnstable.[6]

When his father, Capt. John Gorham, died intestate, James, with his mother, Desire, and his brother, John, was named a joint administrator of his father's estate, which was divided 7 March 1675/6. As the eldest son he received a double share.[7] When his mother's estate was divided 5 March 1683/4, James again received a double share as the eldest son.[8] His mother's servant, Tooto, in his will dated 27 December 1691, probated in Barnstable 2 January 1691/2, gave James one cow and the increase of his cattle. James and his brother-in-law, Thomas Baxter, were named joint administrators of Tooto's estate.[9]

In his will dated 4 November 1707, proved 7 January 1707/8, James Gorham named his loving wife, Hannah, his seven sons, John, Thomas, James, Joseph, Jabez, Silvanus and Ebenezer, who were all living, and his three daughters, Desire Springer, who received £20, Experience Lothrop, who was given £5, in addition to what she had already received, and Mehitable Gorham, who was also given £5. He bequeathed twenty shillings to each of his five grandchildren, not named. Son James Gorham was appointed sole executor. Witnesses were John Thacher, Jabez Fuller and Lydia Thacher. A codicil dated 14 November 1707, disposed of one more piece of land not mentioned in his will. The inventory was taken 9 December 1707 by John Gorham and John Bacon.[10]

The five unnamed grandchildren who were born before 4 November 1707, the date James Gorham made his will, and whom we know were living then, were Mary, James, Thomas and Ancel Lothrop, children of his daughter Experience Lothrop, and Matthias Gorham, eldest son of John Gorham. Thus the two children that daughter Desire Springer may have had, would have died before 1707.

Children (**Gorham**), born in Barnstable, Mass., fifth through eleventh baptized in Barnstable:[11]

+34 i. **Desire**[4], born 9 February 1674.

+35 ii. **James**, born 6 March 1676/7.

+36 iii. **Experience**, born 28 July 1678.

+37 iv. **John**, born 2 August 1680.

+38 v. **Mehitable**, born 20 April 1683, bapt. 17 September 1683, mistakenly called "of James and Sarah."

+39 vi. **Thomas**, born 16 December 1684, bapt. 26 July 1685, called "of James and Hannah."

vii. **Mercy**, born 22 November 1686, bapt. in 1687, died in Barnstable 12 June 1689.

viii. **Joseph**, born 25 March 1689, bapt. 2 June 1689, called "of James"; died in Barnstable 1762, unmarried; mentioned in probate records of his brother, Silvanus in 1747; bequeathed all of his estate to his youngest brother, Ebenezer, in his will probated 4 January 1763.[12]

+40 ix. **Jabez**, born 6 March 1690/1, bapt. 10 May 1691, called "of James," given name missing.

x. **Silvanus**, born 13 October 1693, bapt. 17 June 1694, died unmarried in Stamford, Conn., before 24 September 1747; his estate was distributed 11 January 1750/1 to his brothers and sisters or their heirs, named as the heirs of brother James Gorham; the heirs of brother John Gorham; to brother Joseph Gorham; to the heirs of brother Jabez Gorham; to brother Ebenezer Gorham; to the heirs of sister Experience Gorham; to the heirs of sister Mehitable Gorham; and to his cousin George Gorham of Stamford, who was named administrator.[13]

+41 xi. **Ebenezer**, born 14 February 1695/6, bapt. 26 April 1696.

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6. **John Gorham**[3] (*Desire*[2] *Howland, John*[1]) was born in Marshfield, Mass., 20 February 1651/2,[1] the son of Capt. John and Desire (Howland) Gorham. He died in Barnstable, Mass., 11 November 1716, in his 65th year, and was buried in Cobb's Hill Cemetery there.[2]

John Gorham married in Barnstable 24 February 1674 **Mary Otis**,[3] who was born in Hingham, Mass., 14 March 1652/3, and baptized 1 May 1653,[4] the daughter of John and Mary (Jacobs) Otis. Mary died in Barnstable 1 April 1732.[5]

In 1675, John and his brother, James, signed a petition for the settlement of the estate of their father, Capt. John Gorham. On 3 August 1683, John with his brother James, certified the accuracy of the inventory of the estate of their mother, Desire Gorham.[6]

John Gorham was a tanner and "conveyancer." In 1684 he served as constable, and from 1689 to 1691 he was a Deputy to the General Court from Barnstable. In 1690 he was chosen as Captain for the Expedition to Canada, led by Sir William Phips. As Major John Gorham, he served as Deputy from Barnstable in 1702. On 18 March 1703/4, Governor Dudley commissioned him as Colonel. From 1711 to 1714 he was Justice of the Court of Common Pleas.[7]

In his will dated 8 November 1716, proved 7 January 1716/17, Col. John Gorham, Esq., mentioned his loving wife, Mary, and divided his land between his sons, Stephen, Shubael, John and Job. He gave his three daughters, Temperance, Mary and Thankful, "and my daughter Marcy," £70 to be paid to them out of his moveable estate. His servant Robin was to be free after two years service to his wife, Mary Gorham. A codicil dated 10 November 1716 stated that if son Job died without a lawful heir, his share should be divided between his brethren. His wife Mary, and his sons, Stephen and Shubael, were named joint executors. Witnesses were Samuel Sturgis, Daniel Greenleaf and Joseph Dimock. His inventory, valued at more than £2000, was taken 28 November 1716 by Samuel Sturgis and Thomas Lothrop, and was sworn to by the widow, 17 January 1716/7. It included "an Indian servant Jeffrey."[8]

Widow Mary Gorham, in her will dated 7 November 1727, proved 20 April 1733, gave her three sons, Stephen, John and Job, twenty shillings each. Son Shubael was given £6. Grandson John Gorham, son of her son Shubael, was given eight shares in her lot in Barnstable, "the remainder of said lot being owned by the heirs of James Gorham, deceased." Mary gave the balance of her estate to her four daughters, Temperance Clap, Mary Hinckley, Thankful Fuller and Mercy Bourne, to be divided equally. Son Shubael Gorham and son-in-law Silvanus Bourne were named executors. Witnesses were James Allyn, John Sturgis, Tertius, and Mehitable Crocker.[9]

Children (**Gorham**), born in Barnstable, Mass., baptized in the West Barnstable Church:[10]

i. **John**[4], born 18 January 1675/6, died 1 April 1679.
+42 ii. **Temperance**, born 2 August 1678, bapt. in 1686 with her sister "Mercy," and brother Stephen, "of John and Mary Gorham."
+43 iii. **Mary**, born 18 September 1680, bapt. as "Mercy" in 1686 with her sister Temperance and brother Stephen.
+44 iv. **Stephen**, born 23 June 1683, bapt. in 1686 with sisters Temperance and Mercy.
+45 v. **Shubael**, born 2 September 1686.
+46 vi. **John**, born 28 September 1688, bapt. 3 March 1689.
+47 vii. **Thankful**, born 15 February 1690, bapt. 19 April 1691.
+48 viii. **Job**, born 30 August 1692, bapt. 5 June 1692 (*sic*).
+49 ix. **Mercy**, born 1 December 1695, bapt. 5 April 1696.

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7. **Joseph Gorham**[3] (*Desire*[2] *Howland, John*[1]) was born in Yarmouth, Mass., 16 February 1653/4, the son of Capt. John and Desire (Howland) Gorham.[1] He died there 9 July 1726, at 72 years of age.[2]

Joseph Gorham married probably in Yarmouth before 1678 **Sarah Sturgis**,[3] who was born about 1656,[4] thought to have been the daughter of Edward and Elizabeth (Hinckley) Sturgis. She died in Yarmouth before 3 February 1738/9.[5] This Sarah Sturgis is said to have been the sister of Edward Sturgis, born 10 April 1642, who married Joseph's sister, Temperance Gorham[3], and of Hannah (Sturgis) Gray who married Joseph's brother, Jabez Gorham[3].

Joseph was a shoemaker in Yarmouth. In the division of his father's estate in 1675, he was given forty acres of land and four acres of meadow next to land owned by his brother-in-law, Joseph Hallet.[6] Edward Sturgis, in his verbal will probated at Plymouth, Mass., 3 June 1679, gave Joseph £5 in silver.[7] Joseph was one of the witnesses to the will. Joseph served as an ensign in the militia before 1682.[8]

In March 1683/4, after his mother's death, Joseph and his brothers and sisters agreed that the children of his deceased sister, Elizabeth Hallett, "should have an equal part that did belong to their mother."[9]

In his will dated 27 July 1723, proved 20 July 1726, Joseph Gorham named his wife Sarah, his sons Joseph and Josiah Gorham, his daughter Desire Baxter, his granddaughter Sarah Sears, daughter of his deceased daughter Sarah Howes, and Sarah's other children, Thomas, Ebenezer and Elizabeth Howes. His wife Sarah and son Josiah were named executors. Witnesses were Peter Thacher, Thankful Thacher and Ann Lothrop.[10]

Sarah Gorham, "widow woman and spinster," in her will dated 1 May 1728, proved 3 February 1738/9, gave her son Joseph her silver cup. Her son Josiah received £5, her husbandry tools and the debts he owed her, on condition that he pay his daughter Rebecca, the daughter of his first wife, £20 when she came of age or married. Sarah gave her grandsons Thomas and Ebenezer Howes, forty shillings each, her granddaughter Sarah Sears, £5, and her granddaughter Lydia (*sic*) Crosby [actually Elizabeth Crosby], £3, all children of her deceased daughter Sarah Howes. Her daughter Desire Baxter was given all of the remainder of her estate, with Desire's husband, John Baxter, being named sole executor. The witnesses were Samuel Sturgis, Samuel Sturgis, Jr., and Ann Crosby.[11]

Children (**Gorham**), born in Yarmouth, Mass., recorded 26 June 1695:[12]

+50 i. **Sarah**[4], born 16 January 1678/9.
+51 ii. **Joseph**, born 15 April 1681.
+52 iii. **Samuel**, born in October 1682.
iv. **John**, born 28 February 1683/4, died young.
+53 v. **Desire**, born in April 1685.
vi. **Isaac**, born in October 1687, died in 1714 without issue.
vii. **Hezekiah**, born in August 1689, died in 1714 without issue.
+54 viii. **Josiah**, born 2 December 1692.

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8. **Jabez Gorham**[3] (*Desire*[2] *Howland, John*[1]) was born in Barnstable, Mass., 3 August 1656,[1] the son of Capt. John and Desire (Howland) Gorham. He died in Bristol, which was then in Massachusetts but is now in Rhode Island, between 16 March 1724/5, the date he made his will, and 20 April 1725, the date his will was proved.[2]

Jabez Gorham married about 1676 a widow, **Hannah (Sturgis) Gray**,[3] who was born about 1654,[4] the daughter of Edward and Elizabeth (Hinckley) Sturgis. Hannah's first husband, whom she married about 1670, was John Gray, by whom she had one son, John Gray.[5] Hannah died in Harwich, Mass., 17 October 1736, and was buried in the Old Burial Ground, Brewster, Mass., called "wife of Jabez Gorham."[6]

Jabez Gorham served in King Philip's War, in which he was wounded. His name is on a list of townsmen in Yarmouth in 1679. In 1680 he was a constable and in 1683 he took the freeman's oath and served on the Grand Inquest.[7] At about this time Jabez settled at Papasquash Neck, on one hundred acres of land granted to the estate of his father, Capt. John Gorham, for his service in King Philip's War. The land seems to have belonged to his brother, Shubael Gorham, who sold it to Nathaniel Byfield of Bristol, 7 February 1689/90, for £62.[8] Jabez registered his ear mark for cattle and swine in Bristol, 30 June 1683.[9] He was living in Bristol, 26 August 1691, where he was called a carpenter when he bought land from James Adams, shoemaker.[10] On 2 July 1715, recorded 1 September 1725, Benjamin Ellery of Newport, R.I., merchant, sold land on the ship channel in Bristol to Jabez Gorham, yeoman.[11] On 13 February 1716, Jabez Gorham, Sr., of Bristol, "for love and affection to my eldest son, Jabez Gorham, Jr., of Bristol," deeded and confirmed to him the land and dwelling house where Jabez, Jr., lived. Witnesses were Samuel Howland and Will Allen. This land was eventually transferred to Jabez, Jr.'s son-in-law, John Kinnicutt.[12] On 8 May 1719, Jabez Gorham of Bristol, yeoman, sold land in Bristol on the ship channel to his son-in-law, Shubael Baxter of Yarmouth, Barnstable County, Mass.[13]

In his will dated 16 March 1724/5, proved 20 April 1725, Jabez Gorham, yeoman, of Bristol, Massachusetts Bay, named his wife Hannah, his eldest son Jabez, his sons Isaac, Joseph and Benjamin, his daughter, Elizabeth, "wife of Shubael Baxter," and his three grandsons Edward, William and Samuel Downs. His wife, Hannah, and son Benjamin were named co-executors. His eldest son Jabez, was given the deed to the house and land where he lived, and his father said, "My will is that the same be confirmed & he rest satisfied th[ere]with."[14] The inventory, dated 2 May 1725, was appraised at £129-5-6, the largest single item being £30-0-0 for "half of the Negro." This was presented by the executors 17 October 1726.[15]

On 18 May 1725, Jabez's son, Isaac Gorham "of Newhaven in the Colony of Connecticut," cooper, quitclaimed to his brother, Benjamin, his rights to land they had inherited from their father, Jabez, in return for a legacy from Benjamin. The witnesses were Samuel Howland and Abigail Howland. On 17 June 1725, Joseph Gorham "of ffairfield in the Coloney

of Connecticut," cordwainer, did the same. The witnesses were Jabez Gorham and Joseph Howland.[16]

On 7 September 1732, in a deed recorded 12 September 1732, widow Hannah Gorham, called "seamstress of Yarmouth," quitclaimed to Benjamin Gorham of Bristol, tanner, her interest in five acres in Bristol.[17]

Children (**Gorham**), first recorded in Yarmouth, Mass., second probably born there as well, last nine born in Bristol, now in Rhode Island.:[18]

i. **Hannah**[4], born 23 December 1677, died in Yarmouth 28 March 1682.
+55 ii. **Elizabeth**, born about 1680, mentioned in father's will; was married by 1700.
iii. **Samuel**, born in Bristol, 15 April 1682, died in Bristol, 24 November 1735, aged 53 years; not mentioned in father's will in 1724/5; no further record.
+56 iv. **Jabez**, born 31 January 1683/4.
v. **Shubael**, born 12 April 1686, died without issue in 1734; not mentioned in father's will, 1724/5; no further record.
+57 vi. **Isaac**, born 1 February 1689.
vii. **John**, born 8 November 1690, died in January 1717; not named in father's will.
+58 viii. **Joseph**, born 22 August 1692, bapt. Christ Church, Bristol, 11 August 1695.
ix. **Hannah**, born 21 February 1693/4, bapt. Christ Church, Bristol, 11 August 1695; not named in father's will.
+59 x. **Benjamin**, born 11 December 1695; executor of father's will.
xi. **Thomas**, born 30 October 1701; not named in father's will.

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9. **Mercy Gorham**[3] (*Desire*[2] *Howland, John*[1]) was born in Barnstable, Mass., 20 January 1658,[1] the daughter of Capt. John and Desire (Howland) Gorham. She died in Stonington, Conn., 24 September 1725.[2]

Mercy Gorham married, probably in Barnstable about 1677 **George Denison**,[3] who was born in New London, Conn., about 1653,[4] the son of George and Ann (Borodell) Denison. He died in Westerly, R.I., 27 December 1711.[5]

Mercy shared with her brothers and sisters in the settlement of her father's estate, dated 7 March 1676/7, before her marriage.[6] She also agreed to the division of her mother's estate, dated 5 March 1683.[7] She was called "Mercy Denison" by her mother's servant, Tooto, when he made his will in Barnstable on 22 December 1791, proved 2 January 1691/2, in which Tooto gave Mercy two cows.[8]

The Denison family moved from Stonington to Westerly, R.I., before 1707, the year George Denison was made a Deputy there.[9] In his will dated 4 December 1711, and proved 10 March 1712, George Denison of Westerly mentioned his wife, Mercy, and eight of their children. He said, concerning his three "elder sons," Edward, Joseph and Samuel, and his two "elder daughters," Mercy Dunbar and Elizabeth Champlin, that he had already given them all that he could. He gave his youngest son, George, "the house and land which I now live on." He gave his two "youngest daughters," Desire and Thankful Denison, £10 each. Witnesses were Isaac Thompson, William Stanton and Edward Denison.[10]

Children (**Denison**), born in Stonington, Conn.:[11]

+60 i. **Edward**[4], born in 1678, bapt. 14 November 1683.
+61 ii. **Joseph**, bapt. 14 November 1683.
+62 iii. **Mercy**, bapt. 1 March 1685.
+63 iv. **Samuel**, bapt. 26 September 1686.
v. **Desire**, bapt. 15 July 1688, died young.
+64 vi. **Elizabeth**, born 11 September 1689, bapt. 11 May 1690.
+65 vii. **Desire**, bapt. 16 April 1693.
+66 viii. **Thankful**, bapt. 1 April 1695.
+67 ix. **George**, bapt. 7 May 1699.

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10. **Lydia Gorham**[3] (*Desire*[2] *Howland, John*[1]) was born in Barnstable, Mass., 11 November 1661,[1] the daughter of Capt. John and Desire (Howland) Gorham. Lydia died in Yarmouth, Mass., 2 August 1744, in her 83rd year and was buried in the Ancient Cemetery, Yarmouth.[2]

Lydia Gorham married in Yarmouth, as his second wife, 1 January 1683/4 **John Thacher**,[3] who was born in Marblehead, Mass., 16 March 1638/9,[4] the son of Anthony and Elizabeth (Jones) Thacher. John Thacher had married first, in Yarmouth 6 November 1661 Rebecca Winslow,[5] who died in Yarmouth 15 July 1683,[6] after having eight children named Peter, Josiah, Rebeccah, Bethiah, John, Elizabeth, Hannah and Mary Thacher,[7] not descendants of *Mayflower* passenger John Howland. John Thacher died in Yarmouth 8 May 1713, in his 75th year, and was buried in the Ancient Cemetery in Yarmouth.[8]

Lydia and her brother, James Gorham, and two of her sisters, Temperance (Gorham) (Sturgis) Baxter and Mercy (Gorham) Denison, were named by their mother's servant, Tooto, in his will dated 22 December 1691, and proved in Barnstable 2 January 1691/2. Tooto called Lydia "Misstres Thacher" and gave her his young horse.[9]

John Thacher was a Colonel in the militia.[10] In his will dated 25 April 1713, probated 19 June 1713, John Thacher mentioned his second wife, Lydia, his sons Peter and John, and the male heirs of his son, Josiah, deceased, [sons by his first wife], and sons Judah, Joseph, Benjamin and Thomas, [sons by his second wife]; his daughters by his first wife, Rebecca Sturgis and Bethiah Paine, and the children of his daughter, Elizabeth Hatch, deceased; and his daughters by his second wife, Lydia Freeman, Mary Gorham, "and four youngest daughters," not named. His widow Lydia Thacher and son Peter were named joint executors, but Peter refused to serve with his step-mother. Col. John Thacher gave five shillings each "to the Two Drummers of Yarmouth if they beat at my funeral . . . though I had much rather be Decently Buryed without any Military Ceremony."[11]

Children (**Thacher**), born in Yarmouth, Mass.:[12]

+68 i. **Lydia**[4], born 11 February 1684/5.
+69 ii. **Mary**, born 5 February 1686/7.
+70 iii. **Desire**, born 24 December 1688.
+71 iv. **Hannah**, born 9 October 1690.
v. **Mercy/Marcy**, born 23 July 1692, died 27 August 1692.
+72 vi. **Judah**, born 20 August 1693.
vii. **Mercy/Marcy**, born 28 December 1695, died 22 August 1696.
+73 viii. **Ann**, born 7 May 1697.
+74 ix. **Joseph**, born 11 July 1699.
+75 x. **Benjamin**, born 25 July 1702.

+76 xi. **Mercy/Marcy**, born 7 February 1702/3 (*sic*).
+77 xii. **Thomas**, born 2 April 1705.

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11. **Hannah Gorham**[3] (*Desire*[2] *Howland, John*[1]) was born in Barnstable, Mass., 28 November 1663,[1] the daughter of Capt. John and Desire (Howland) Gorham. She died in Cape May, New Jersey, about 1728.[2]

Hannah Gorham married, probably in Barnstable or Yarmouth, Mass., about 1682, **Joseph Whilldin/Wheldon**,[3] who was born in Yarmouth about 1660,[4] the son of John and Mary (Folland) Whilldin/Wheldon. Joseph died in Cape May about 1727.[5]

In the division of the estate of her father, Capt. John Gorham, dated 7 March 1676/7, Hannah was mentioned as one of the unmarried daughters.[6] The inventory of her mother's estate, taken 3 August 1683, contains an item, "silver money lent to Joseph Whillden." Hannah was also mentioned in the division of her mother's estate, dated 5 March 1683/4.[7] Col. John Gorham, in his "Wast Book," stated, "Hannah maryd a Wheelding boath movd to Cape May."[8]

Joseph Whilldin was a sea captain and a farmer. Between 1689 and 1696, called Joseph *Weldon*, he purchased 150 acres of land in Cape May from Dr. Daniel Coxe of London. His earmark for branding cattle was recorded in 1693. This earmark was later used by Isaac Whilden.[9] On 22 April 1695, West Jersey records show that Joseph Wheldon of Cape May, yeoman, paid a quitrent of "two fat capons or hens" for 150 acres in Cape May.[10] He became coroner of Cape May County, 20 December 1699, and was High Sheriff from 1705 to 1708, Collector in 1709, Commissioner of the Pleas, 17 March 1713 and 1722, and Justice of the Peace in 1715. In 1718 he was one of the early members of the Presbyterian Church in Cold Spring, and one of the purchasers of the parsonage.[11]

On 2 April 1695, Joseph Whilldin, Sr., bought a tract of land and marsh in the Lower Precinct of Cape May County from Jeremiah Bass, agent for the West Jersey Society, part of which was conveyed to his son, Joseph, Jr., by two deeds, one in 1711 and one on 24 October 1718. Joseph, Jr., in his will dated 16 March 1747, bequeathed this land to his son, James, Sr., who in turn willed the land to his son, also named James. On 15 August 1789, the younger James Whilldin, with his wife, Rhoda,

giving her consent, signed a deed documenting these facts and proving without doubt that Joseph and Hannah (Gorham) Whilldin lived in Cape May and had a son named Joseph.[12]

Children (**Whilldin**), first two probably born in Yarmouth, Mass., remainder born in Cape May, New Jersey:[13]

+78 i. **Hannah**[4], born about 1683.

+79 ii. **Joseph**, born about 1690.

iii. **Mary**, born about 1693, married 17 December 1708 **Josiah Crowell**,[14] who may have died before 1734 when his earmark was transferred to Samuel Crowell, possibly his son;[15] no proven children.

iv. **Experience**, born about 1696, married 15 November 1712 **William Foster** of Burlington County, N.J.;[16] no further record.

v. **Isaac**, born about 1698; living in 1730; may have been the "unnamed" son mentioned in the Leach Collection, no proof given, with a widow, Elizabeth, who died in 1730; his brother, Joseph, in his will dated 16 March 1747, gave his son, Matthew, land and marsh which he had purchased from Isaac Whillden;[17] no further record.

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12. **Shubael Gorham**[3] (*Desire*[2] *Howland, John*[1]) was born in Barnstable, Mass., 21 October 1667,[1] the son of John and Desire (Howland) Gorham. He died in Barnstable in 1750, in his 83rd year.[2]

Shubael Gorham married on the Island of Nantucket, Mass., in May 1695 **Puella Hussey** of Nantucket,[3] who was born on Nantucket 10th 10 mo. 1677,[4] the daughter of Stephen and Martha (Bunker) Hussey. Puella died in Barnstable before 23 September 1748.[5]

In the settlement of his father's intestate estate, dated 7 March 1676/7, Shubael was given £50 to be used to educate him for a learned profession, in addition to his own share, but instead he became a house-carpenter.[6] He was a minor when his father died and, on 5 March 1683/4, he chose his older brother, James Gorham, as his guardian.[7]

Col. John Gorham's "Wast Book" states that, when Shubael and his family and friends sailed to Nantucket for his marriage to Puella Hussey, the members of the wedding party were taken prisoner by a French shallop from Port Royal and were stripped of all of their valuables.[8] After his marriage, Shubael moved to South Sea in Barnstable County and built a tavern near Hyannis Port.[9]

On 7 February 1689/90 Shubael Gorham sold one hundred acres of land at Papasquash Neck in Bristol County to Nathaniel Byfield of Bristol. This was land which he had inherited from his father, Capt. John Gorham, who had received it for his services in King Philip's War.[10] On 30 October 1722, Shubael Gorham of Barnstable, yeoman, and Puella, his wife, deeded to their eldest son, George Gorham, half of their farm of 50 acres, with half of the buildings, orchards and other property.[11] In 1745 their younger son, Daniel Gorham, died of smallpox in London, England, unmarried, leaving a will dated Barnstable, 24 January 1740, which was proved there in January 1746. In it Daniel named his brother, George, and his seven sisters, Abigail, Lydia, Hannah, Theodate, Desire, Ruth and Deborah. Daniel's inventory, which amounted to £2960-15-1, included four rights to land in Gorhamtown, Maine.[12]

On 8 July 1749 Shubael Gorham's son-in-law, James Lovell, Jr., of Barnstable, gentleman, the husband of his daughter, Abigail, was appointed as Shubael's guardian after Shubael had been adjudged non compos mentis by the Inquisition of Selectmen. James Lovell was to care for Shubael's person as well as his estate, real and personal.[13]

Shubael Gorham, in his will dated 23 September 1748, proved 7 August 1750, gave all of his real estate to his only surviving son, George Gorham of Stamford, Conn. His personal estate was divided equally among his seven beloved daughters, the same as those named in son Daniel's will quoted above. His wife, Puella, was not mentioned and had probably died earlier. Deacon John Hinkley of Barnstable was named executor. Witnesses were Samuel Annable, Thomas Annable and Mary Bourn. Shubael's real estate was appraised at £266-13-4 and his personal estate at £99-10-8.[14]

Children (**Gorham**), first eight recorded in Barnstable, Mass., ninth child included in father's will, tenth child listed in Col. John Gorham's "Wast Book":[15]

+80 i. **George**[4], born 29 January 1696/7.
+81 ii. **Abigail**, born latter end of March 1699.
+82 iii. **Lydia**, born 14 May 1701.
+83 iv. **Hannah**, born 28 July 1703.
+84 v. **Theodate**, born 18 July 1705.
vi. **Daniel**, born 24 September 1708, died in London, England, before January 1746, the month his will was probated in Barnstable, Mass.
+85 vii. **Desire**, born 26 September 1710.
+86 viii. **Ruth**, born 7 May 1713.
+87 ix. **Deborah**, born after 1714.
x. **Jonathan**, died young.

Note: Dates before 1752 given for Quaker families in Henry S. Gorham's "The Gorham Family," MS, deposited at The New England Historic Genealogical Society, Boston, Mass., appear to be erroneous transcriptions of Quaker dates when compared with Quaker records published in the five volumes of *Nantucket Vital Records to 1850* (1925-1928). But the problem may lie in the published *Nantucket Vital Records* rather than with the Gorham MS. For example, Josiah Gorham's birth date in Barnstable town hall records is given as *2 June 1723* [*MD* 33:116; Barnstable Vital Records 2:392]. Vital records from Barnstable's town hall can be considered as accurate because they are from the original records, and are in chronological order with other births in the Barnstable town records. Since Josiah Gorham's birth date was recorded before the calendar change of 1752, it would translate into Quaker dating as *2d 4th mo. 1723*, not *2d 6th mo. 1723*, as given in the published *Nantucket Vital Records* 2:100. This leads to an important question. Were all of the dates in Nantucket Quaker records before 1752 mistranslated into the figures for modern months when Nantucket's vital records were prepared for publication? It would appear that both of these sources — the Gorham MS and *Nantucket Vital Records to 1850* — may be in error and the original Quaker records of Nantucket should be consulted concerning accurate dates for births, marriages and deaths before the calendar change in 1752.
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The Howland and Gorham Families

The children of **John[1] and Elizabeth (Tilley) Howland:**

***Desire[2] Howland** (*1625/6-1683*) *married* **John Gorham**

John[2] Howland (*1627-after 1699*) *married* **Mary Lee**

Hope[2] Howland (*1629-1683/4*) *married* **John Chipman**

Elizabeth[2] Howland (*1631-1691*) *married* (1) **Ephraim Hicks** (2) **John Dickenson**

Lydia[2] Howland (*1633-1710/1*) *married* **James Brown**

Hannah[2] Howland (*1637-1708*) *married* **Jonathan Bosworth**

Joseph[2] Howland (*1640-1703/4*) *married* **Elizabeth Southworth**

Jabez[2] Howland (*1644-1712*) *married* **Bethiah Thacher**

Ruth[2] Howland (*1646-1679*) *married* **Thomas Cushman**

Isaac[2] Howland (*1649-1723/4*) *married* **Elizabeth Vaughn**

The children of **Capt. John and Desire[2] (Howland) Gorham:**

***Desire Gorham[3]** (*1644-1700*) *married* **John Hawes**

***Temperance Gorham[3]** (*1646-1714/5*) *married* (1) **Edward Sturgis** (2) **Thomas Baxter**

***Elizabeth Gorham[3]** (*1645-1683/4*) *married* **Joseph Hallett**

***James Gorham[3]** (*1650-1707*) *married* **Hannah Huckins**

***John Gorham[3]** (*1651/2-1716*) *married* **Mary Otis**

***Joseph Gorham[3]** (*1653/4-1726*) *married* **Sarah Sturgis**

***Jabez Gorham[3]** (*1656-1725*) *married* **Hannah (Sturgis) Gray**

***Mercy Gorham[3]** (*1658-1725*) *married* **George Denison**

***Lydia Gorham[3]** (*1661-1744*) *married* **John Thacher**

***Hannah Gorham[3]** (*1663-1728*) *married* **Joseph Whillden**

***Shubael Gorham[3]** (*1667-1750*) *married* **Puella Hussey**

* These children are followed in this volume.

FOURTH GENERATION

4. The Children of Desire Gorham[3]

13. **Elizabeth Hawes[4]** (*Desire Gorham[3], Desire[2] Howland, John[1]*) was born in Yarmouth, Mass., 5 October 1661 (*sic*)[1] [probably should be 1662, almost one year after her parents' marriage, not two days before]. She was the daughter of John and Desire (Gorham) Hawes. She died in Edgartown, Martha's Vineyard, Mass., between 25 December 1732 and 13 February 1732/3.[2]

Elizabeth Hawes married in Bristol, then in Massachusetts but now in Rhode Island, 22 January 1683 **Thomas Daggett,**[3] who was born in Edgartown, Mass., about 1658,[4] the son of Thomas and Hannah (Mayhew) Daggett. Thomas Daggett died in Edgartown 28 August 1726.[5]

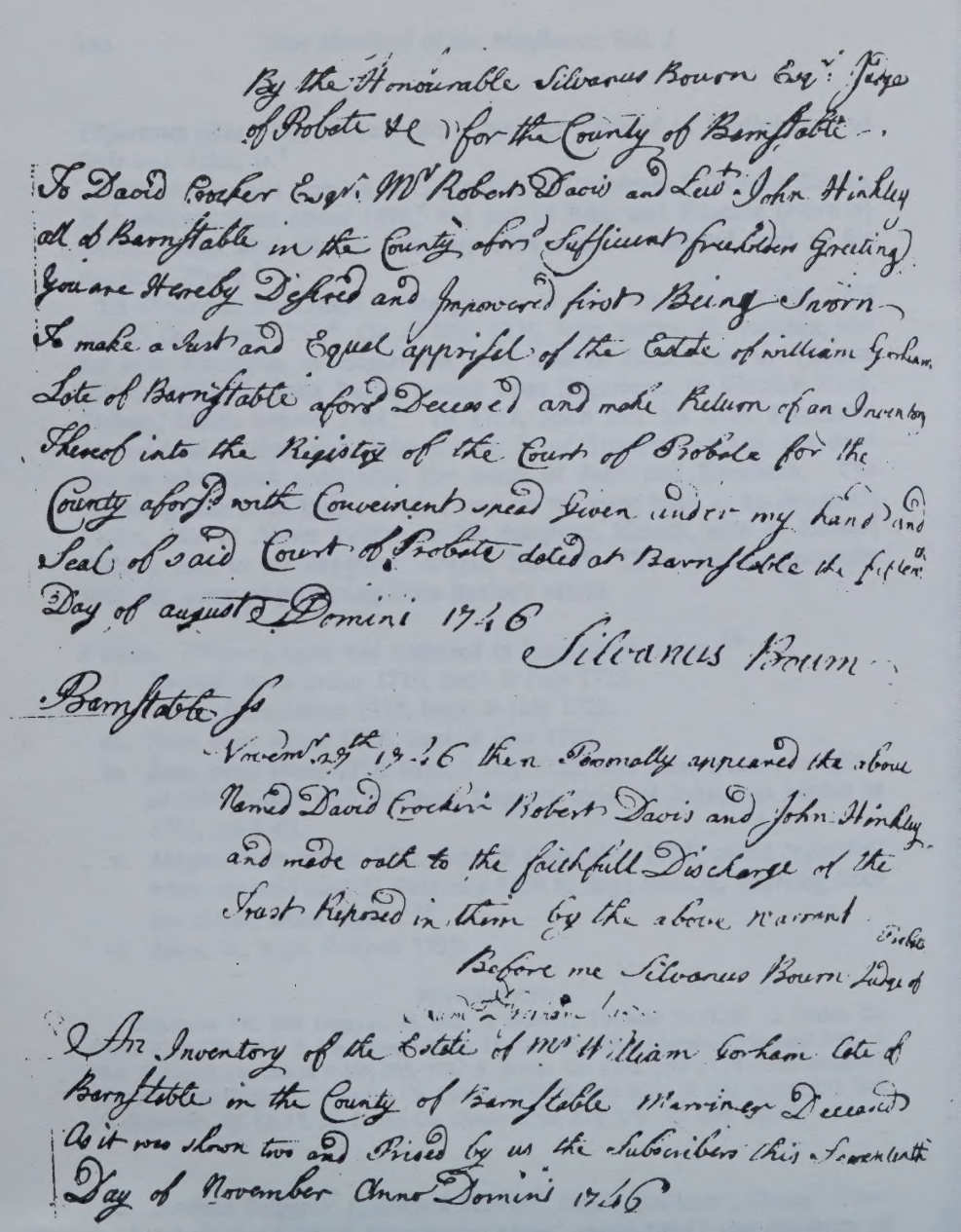
Elizabeth's father, Capt. John Hawes of Yarmouth, in his will dated 5 May 1692, probated 20 July 1693, mentioned Elizabeth as one of his married daughters, calling her "Elizabeth Dogged."[6]

Capt. Thomas Daggett was a carpenter and was called "gentleman." About 1685 he moved to Bristol, but returned to Martha's Vineyard about 1689 and died there in 1726. He may possibly have been a constable in Rehoboth 3 June 1684. He was called "Lieutenant" in land transfers until 1697. In 1705, he was called "Captain."[7]

In his will dated 8 July 1726, proved in October 1726, Thomas Daggett bequeathed to the children of his deceased son, Samuel Daggett, half of the land that was his father's homestead. Son Thomas was given the other half. Sons Timothy and Benjamin both received land in Edgartown. Thomas mentioned his loving wife, Elizabeth, and his six daughters, Hannah, Elizabeth, Thankful, Mary, Jemima and Desire. The three living sons were named executors. Witnesses were Israel Butler, David Butler and Daniel Butler.[8]

Widow Elizabeth Daggett, called "of Edgartown," left a will dated 25 December 1732, probated 25 February 1732/3, in which she named her son, Timothy, as her sole executor. She made bequests to her sons Timothy, Thomas and Benjamin; to her daughters Thankful Doggett, (*sic*), Mary Norton, Jemima Butler, Hannah and Elizabeth; to her daughter-in-law Mary Daggett; to her grandson Samuel Doggett (*sic*); to Betty, "alias Elizabeth Daggett"; and to granddaughter Lydia Norton. Witnesses were Benjamin Smith, John Bassett and Jedidah Smith.[9]

In Bristol, this family name was spelled *Doggett*; in Edgartown, it was spelled *Daggett*.


By the Honourable Silvanus Bourn Esqr. Judge of Probate &c for the County of Barnstable

To David Crocker Esqr. Mr Robert Davis and Lewt. John Hinkley all of Barnstable in the County aforsd Sufficient freeholders Greeting You are Hereby Desired and Impowered first Being Sworn To make a Just and Equal apprisal of the Estate of William Gorham Late of Barnstable aforsd Deceased and make Return of an Inventory Thereof into the Registry of the Court of Probate for the County aforsd with Conveinent speed Given under my hand and Seal of said Court of Probate dated at Barnstable the fifteenth Day of august Domini 1746

Silvanus Bourn

Barnstable ss

Novemr. 27th 1746 then Personally appeared the above Named David Crocker Robert Davis and John Hinkley and made oath to the faithfull Discharge of the Trust Reposed in them by the above Warrant

Before me Silvanus Bourn Judge of Probate

An Inventory of the Estate of Mr William Gorham Late of Barnstable in the County of Barnstable Marriner Deceased As it was shown two and Prised by us the Subscribers this Seventeenth Day of November Anno Domini 1746

Fig. 8. Summons to appraise the intestate estate of William Gorham of Barnstable, Mass. From Barnstable Co. Prob. 8:215. [For his parents see p. 88.]

FIFTH GENERATION

15. The Grandchildren of Desire Gorham[3]

88. **Samuel Daggett**[5] (*Elizabeth Hawes*[4], *Desire Gorham*[3], *Desire*[2] *Howland, John*[1]) was born in Bristol, Mass., (now in Rhode Island), 10 June 1685, baptized 22 July 1688,[1] the son of Thomas and Elizabeth (Hawes) Daggett. He died in Edgartown, Mass., before 1726, the date he was called "deceased" in his father's will.[2]

Samuel Daggett married in Edgartown, 11 July 1705 **Mary Pease**,[3] who was born in Edgartown 17 February 1685,[4] the daughter of Thomas and Bathsheba (Merry) Pease. Mary died in April 1767.[5]

Samuel Daggett died before his father, Thomas Daggett, who, in his will dated 8 July 1726, probated in October 1726, bequeathed half of the homestead that was his father's to his son, Samuel's orphaned children, named as Samuel, Seth, Solomon and Sylvanus.[6] Samuel's mother, Elizabeth Daggett, in her will dated 25 December 1732/3, mentioned her grandsons, Samuel, Seth, Solomon and Sylvanus Daggett, and her granddaughter Betty, "alias Elizabeth Daggett." Samuel's mother also mentioned son Samuel's widow, Mary Daggett.[7]

Children (Daggett), born in Edgartown, Dukes County, all mentioned in grandparents' wills:[8]

i. **Samuel**[6], born about 1706.
ii. **Seth**, born 5 February 1713 (?).
iii. **Solomon.**
iv. **Sylvanus.**
v. **Elizabeth.**

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89. **Elizabeth Daggett**[5] (*Elizabeth Hawes*[4], *Desire Gorham*[3], *Desire*[2] *Howland, John*[1]) was born in Edgartown, Mass., about 1690,[1] the daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth (Hawes) Daggett. Elizabeth died probably in

Edgartown after 1753, the year she joined her husband in deeding land to their son, John, Jr.[2]

Elizabeth Daggett married in Edgartown 16 December 1708 **John Butler, Jr.**,[3] who was born about 1674,[4] the son of John and Priscilla (Norton) Butler. John died after 6 February 1754 when he deeded land to his daughter, Phebe.[5]

Elizabeth was mentioned by her parents in their wills dated 8 July 1726 and 25 December 1735.[6] On 24 May 1736, John Butler, Jr., yeoman, and his wife, Elizabeth, of Edgartown, sold land in Edgartown to Thomas Snow, mariner.[7] John Butler moved from Edgartown to Watch's Neck, Tisbury, Mass., before 1748.[8] In 1753, John and his wife, Elizabeth, deeded land to their son, John Butler, Jr. of Tisbury, yeoman, the deed not to take effect until after the death of John and Elizabeth. The following year, John Butler deeded land on the same basis to his daughter, Phebe, wife of Abner Coffin; to his daughter, Keziah, wife of Samuel Osborn, and to his daughter, Abigail Butler.[9] These deeds apparently took the place of probating John Butler's estate.

Children (**Butler**), born and baptized in Edgartown, Mass.:[10]

i. **Keziah**[6], born about 1710, bapt. 8 July 1722.
ii. **Phebe**, born about 1713, bapt. 8 July 1722.
iii. **Paul**, born about 1716, bapt. 8 July 1722.
iv. **Jane**, born about 1718, bapt. 8 July 1722; Mrs. Jane Butler, daughter of John Butler and Elizabeth Daggett, sister of John, was buried in 1763, aged 40.
v. **Abigail**, born about 1722, bapt. 9 December 1722; called "spinster" when she sold land 21 February 1754 to Bays Norton, "deriving from her father, John Butler."[11]
vi. **John, Jr.**, bapt. 9 April 1727.

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90. **Jemima Daggett**[5] (*Elizabeth Hawes*[4], *Desire Gorham*[3], *Desire*[2] *Howland, John*[1]) was born in Edgartown, Mass., about 1694,[1] the daughter of Thomas and Elizabeth (Hawes) Daggett. The date and place of her death have not been documented.

Jemima Daggett married, probably in Edgartown about 1718, **Malachi Butler**,[2] who was born about 1689,[3] the son of John and Priscilla (Norton)

Butler. Malachi Butler died after 1770, the year he sold his property in the North Purchase of Woodbury, Conn.[4]

Jemima was called "Jemima Butler" in her father's will dated 8 July 1726, and in her mother's will, dated 25 December 1735.[5]

In 1721 Malachi Butler's father, John Butler of Edgartown, gave him land on Martha's Vineyard, at Chappaquiddick and in Edgartown. In 1732 Malachi was given half of his father's pew in the Edgartown meeting house, the other half going to his brother, Gamaliel Butler. Malachi sold his half in 1744.[6]

On 23 January 1734/5 Malachi Butler "of Edgartown in Dukes County," bought a dwelling house, barn and fruit trees in the Town of Lebanon, Windham County, Conn., from William Allen of Windham.[7] Malachi Butler was admitted to the First Congregational Church in Lebanon, Conn., from Chilmark, Martha's Vineyard, 11 January 1736. His wife, Jemima Butler, was admitted 4 July 1736. Their three youngest daughters, Lydia, Mary and Jemima, were baptized in Lebanon.[8] Other land transactions in Lebanon occurred in 1740, 1751, 1752 and 1753.[9]

In 1747 Malachi Butler bought property in Bethlehem, Conn., from Mary Wheeler, some of which he gave to his "well-beloved son" Zephaniah Butler, in 1750.[10] In 1757 Malachi bought land in the North Purchase of Woodbury, Conn., from his son, Zephaniah.[11] That same year the town fathers of Woodbury declared Malachi to be of unsound mind "such as to waste his property."[12] In spite of this, six months later, in 1758, Malachi sold his property on Martha's Vineyard to John Pease.[13] In 1770 he sold his property in the North Purchase of Woodbury to David Leavitt.[14]

Children (**Butler**), first seven baptized in Edgartown, Mass., last three baptized in Lebanon, Conn.:[15]

i. **Thankful**[6], bapt. 30 January 1723.
ii. **Susannah**, bapt. 20 December 1724.
iii. **Zephaniah**, bapt. 15 January 1726/7.
iv. **Benjamin**, bapt. 4 May 1729.
v. **Margery**, bapt. 18 July 1731.
vi. **Silas**, bapt. 11 November 1733.
vii. **Solomon**, born in 1735, bapt. 17 February 1745.
viii. **Lydia**, bapt. 18 January 1736.
ix. **Mary**, bapt. 19 March 1738.
x. **Jemima**, bapt. 18 June 1742.

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The Society is fortunate to have the services of such a talented and knowledgeable Historian General. [Also see *The Mayflower Quarterly* (November 1983) 49:160.]

JONATHAN BREWSTER IN LEIDEN DOCUMENTS

by Jeremy D. Bangs

Part I

Jonathan Brewster, eldest son of William Brewster and Mary (whose maiden name is unknown),[1] was born on August 12, 1593, and arrived in Leiden in the spring of 1609, accompanying his parents. While they emigrated to New England in 1620, Jonathan remained in Leiden for a year, arriving in Plymouth on the *Fortune*, November 11, 1621. He married Lucretia Oldham in Plymouth in 1624, and was a Purchaser in 1626. He subsequently removed to Duxbury and became the holder of trading posts at places on the Connecticut River and subsequently on the Thames River in Connecticut. In later life he was a deputy to the Connecticut General Court. An interest in alchemy, expressed in his letters to John Winthrop, makes him more significant to the history of ideas in the Pilgrim colony than he would be if his intellectual concerns had remained unknown.[2] Jonathan Brewster was, furthermore, the author of a family register called "The Brewster Book," (which I have not seen), recording such family events, - marriages and so forth, - as ordinarily are to be found in such books.[3] Jonathan Brewster died in 1659. In this article I shall discuss the Leiden documents in which Jonathan Brewster appears, particularly with a view to clarifying some confusion that has existed about an inaccurately assumed first marriage in Leiden, and a child supposed to have been his from that marriage.[4] In addition, the two last wills of Thomas Brewer, to one of which Jonathan Brewster was a witness, will occupy our attention.

At Home with his Parents

Jonathan was a witness giving testimony in an affidavit given by his parents and by him, and by "Willem Britsman" (William Bridgeman) for Bernard Ross (or Rose), on June 25, 1609.[5]

At the request of "Bernaert Rosse," Englishman living in Amsterdam, William Brewster, aged around 42, his wife Mary ("Marytgen Bruster"), aged around 40, and Jonathan Brewster, their son, aged about sixteen, having been summoned by a court messenger, appeared before two Leiden magistrates and made a sworn statement. Ross, they said, had brought a package

containing various English cloths to their house in the "stinck-steech."[6] The package contained five pieces of cloth, according to both William and Jonathan, who saw them. (Mary had not been present when the package was opened, so she could not swear to the number of pieces of cloth.) Further, Jonathan alone declared that Willem Aerntsz., the son of the collector of the duties on wool cloth, came to his aforementioned house when Ross was there, and that Ross had opened the package in Willem Aerntsz.'s presence and had shown him all five pieces. Willem Aerntsz. had put a lead seal on one of the pieces. Furthermore, William Brewster alone declared that he had not been present at the declaration or showing of the pieces to the tax farmer, but that he had learned from Ross, and from his son Jonathan, that the tax farmer's son had been to his house. Afterwards he had seen that Ross had torn one of the five pieces, because it had become damp at one end from sea water. In addition, William Bridgeman, aged about 26, appeared before the magistrates and made a sworn statement at the request of Ross.[7] He declared that, at the last Leiden fair, he had bought from Ross, at the Hogewoerts Bridge (which was at the south end of the Breestraat, part of the market area), 1½ ells and half a quarter-piece of black-grey English wool cloth. Bernard had shorn this from an English piece whose weft was mixed green on one end and black-grey on the other. Because Bridgeman was on his way to work and did not have any money with him to pay for the cloth, he left the cloth he had bought with Ross, and the next day, when he was intending to pay for it and pick it up, Ross told him that the tax farmer had confiscated all his cloths.

Becoming a Leiden Burgher

Jonathan disappears from the records for a while, which is in no way surprising, as most young men his age, who were living at home, were not in any circumstances that required listing. An exception would be population lists made for tax purposes, but between 1606 and 1622, no such lists were compiled in Leiden. Jonathan was about 24 years old when he next comes to our attention, for, on June 30, 1617, he became a burgher of Leiden.[8] His guarantors were Isaack de Syde and Jan Sebastiaensz. van Hout (not the city secretary Jan van Hout, who died in 1609, not long after he had seen to it that the Pilgrims could come to Leiden unimpeded by the English attempts at extradition).[9] The register of new burghers lists Jonathan as "Jonathan Willemsz. Bruster uut het Noortquartier in Engelant Lintwercker." "Lintwercker" means ribbon maker. The "North

Quarter in England" is a reasonable description, although rather vague, for the area where Scrooby, the Brewsters' home town, is located. Becoming a burgher gave Jonathan certain privileges such as eligibility for guild membership and preferred treatment in Leiden courts in cases concerning business deals; and it brought with it some obligations, chief of which was service, when called on, in the nightwatch and the militia, with required practice in shooting on a regular basis. This practice took place on the shooting ranges of the militia, the "Doelen Terrein" where recently the University of Leiden has constructed a number of buildings, including that of the Faculty of Letters.

The full form of Jonathan's name, used in the register of new burghers, permits a few words to be said about Dutch name forms in records of this period.[10] The given name is first, - *Jonathan*. The father's name can come second (or alternately, last), with the suffix "z." or "zn.", meaning "son" (*zoon*), - *Willemsz*. (In this document, like most Dutch documents, the English name *William*, is given in its Dutch equivalent, *Willem*.) The father's name, with the suffix for "son," is the patronymic. Finally, if the family was already using a surname (which many Dutch families, at this time, were not), it *might* be listed, although it could just as easily be omitted. In this case, the surname *is* given, albeit in a Dutch phonetic spelling, - *Bruster*. It was quite common to omit the surname; given name and patronymic were sufficient, especially when the clerk knew the person whose name he registered, or when the clerk considered it unlikely that the person named on the document would have to be found again, using only the information on the document. (In other words, if the clerk saw no reason to specify which "Jan Jansz." was meant, the clerk could omit identifying terms, like surname, address, age, or occupation.)

In the Pilgrim period, no patronymic was used as a surname in The Netherlands, although the beginnings of the practice can be discerned in the occasional use of a father's given name, with his patronymic following the given name of the person in question, *e.g.*, the son of Jan Jansz., named Pieter, might be listed as Pieter Jan Jansz.sz., (doubling the abbreviation for "son" indicates the grandfather's name is shown). Putting it another way, no such *surname*, as *e.g.* Johnson or Williamson, existed in Leiden records; each instance of such a name is a personal patronymic, indicating that the person's father's given name was, *e.g.*, John or William. Accordingly, the suffix on a patronymic for a woman was not "z." or "zn.", but "dr." for "daughter" (*dochter*); and we see forms like *Jansdr.* and *Willemsdr.* for "John's daughter" and "William's daughter."[11]

It is true that nowadays there are many patronymic forms that are used as surnames in The Netherlands, which means that some men and women have the names "Janssen" or "Willemsen" or "Jans" or "Willems." This shift occurred in the early nineteenth century, when The Netherlands, under Napoleonic rule, undertook various changes, including the introduction of constant population registration. The descendants of people who, at that time, gave their names in patronymic form, now have surnames in the form of patronymics (but of course, these names now indicate a distant ancestor, not the immediate father), because, from then on, Dutch civil officials have identified people legally according to what the officials could read in their own written records, which assigned permanent surnames and declared them valid and binding, from that moment on.

Witness at Betrothals

How the name system worked in practice can be seen in the betrothal record for the printer, John Reynolds, dated July 28, 1617. The text states:[12]

Jan Reynouts, printer, bachelor, from London in England,
accompanied by
Jonatham Willemsz. his acquaintance
with
Prudens Grindon, spinster, also from London in England,
accompanied by
Marye Bryster and Mary Allerton, her acquaintances.

[A marginal note says:] "Dwells in the house of Willem Pauwelsz. in the Pieterskerkkoorsteeg."

The names in current English orthography would be: John Reynolds, Jonathan Williamson (Brewster), Prudence Grindon, Mary Brewster, and Mary Allerton. The Willem Pauwelsz., in whose house Reynolds lived, has been shown by D. Plooij to have been Willem Pouwelsz. van Thorenvliet.[13] His was a family so well-known that the surname did not have to be listed, besides which he was further identified as the one of that name (Willem Pouwelsz.) who owned a house in the Pieterskerkkoorsteeg. The father of this Willem was Pouwels Pouwels Willemsz.sz. van Thorenvliet. His grandfather had been Deputy Sheriff of Leiden during the 1560s and had secretly helped imprisoned Protestants to escape.[14] The van Thorenvliets were thus no strangers to helping people oppressed for reasons of religious conviction. The other instance, in this betrothal

document, of the use of given name and patronymic, without the surname, is, of course, the witness, Jonatham Willemsz., whom we know to be Jonathan, son of William Brewster.

How do we know that this "Jonatham Willemsz." was, in fact, Jonathan Brewster? The answer is that, from the system of names, we already know that "Jonatham Willemsz." is a sufficient identification for Jonathan Brewster at this time in Leiden; and we know that Dutch officials, a month earlier, had identified Jonathan by listing his given name, patronymic, and surname, which shows that Jonathan himself, when asked, understood to give his patronymic as part of his name. This shows that "Jonatham Willemsz." *could* be Jonathan Brewster. Adding to that the extreme rarity of the given name, "Jonathan," in Leiden at this time (I return to this point below), and the fact that John Reynolds's address was the house in the Pieterskerkkoorsteeg owned by Willem Pouwelsz. van Thorenvliet, which was, in fact, the residence of William Brewster and his family, we have enough evidence to conclude that the "Jonatham Willemsz." who was a witness to the betrothal of John Reynolds, was Jonathan Brewster.

Two more points may be raised. Jonathan Brewster, as we shall see, knew Dutch well enough to act as an interpreter for Reynolds, which would have been a necessary convenience at the betrothal. Moreover, given the fact that one of the future bride's witnesses was Mary Brewster, Jonathan's mother, we could expect the registrar to give some further identification of this Jonathan, if he had *not* been Jonathan Brewster, if merely to ensure that confusion could be avoided later, if the witnesses ever had to be called to confirm that the betrothal had taken place. That the registrar gave no indications that this might not be Jonathan Brewster, allows us, on this point, also, to conclude that "Jonatham Willemsz." certainly was Jonathan Williamson Brewster.

"Jonatham Willemsz." [Brewster] was again the witness to a betrothal of a printer, on April 27, 1618, when Edward Winslow became engaged to Elizabeth Barker.[15] In this record, the names are given as Eduwaert Winsloo, Jonatham Willemsz., Ysaack Alanton, Elizabeth Berkar, Janneken Hezel [or Phesel], and Maria Allerton, which we now render as Edward Winslow, Jonathan Williamson [Brewster], Isaac Allerton, Elisabeth Barker, Janie Hazel [or Fitzer?] and Mary Allerton.

(*To be continued*)

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Robinson, Pastor of the Pilgrim Fathers (London & New York, 1920), 81, and Wyrall, announced by J. G. Hunt, in his privately published pamphlet, Of Mary Brewster, The Identity of Mary, Wife of Elder William Brewster of the Mayflower Voyage of 1620 from Plymouth, England, to New Plymouth, New England (1984). Hunt's argument is based on two important unproved suppositions: (1) that the names of "Love" and "Wrestling" for Brewster's children refer to the place-name, "Loversall"; and (2) that the name, "Butho," must be the same as "Brewster." AD 1: The author does not consider the patterns of Puritan name-giving, where "Love" is of the same sort as "Faith," "Hope," and "Charity" (which is "Love"); and where "Wrestling" is not a pun, but rather a reference to Genesis 32:24-28. AD 2: It is Hunt's supposition only that "Butho" equals "Brewster," and it is not documented that there was anyone in this case lisping, or inaccurately transcribing, this part of the will of the relative of "Butho." The succinct statement of Burgess (loc. cit.) deserves repeating: "The maiden name of Mary Brewster has not been handed down." Burgess goes on to say, "I suggest Mary Wentworth of Scrooby." That both William Brewster and Mary Brewster appear in Leiden betrothal records, as I report in my article, "Mayflower Passengers Documented in Leiden: A List," [Mayflower Quarterly (1985) 51:57-60], does not mean that they appear in Leiden in any record of their own betrothal. They appear, instead, as witnesses to the betrothals of other people. People already married do not appear as becoming betrothed after their arrival in Leiden. This issue has, nevertheless, confused several readers of that article, who evidently would like to have proof that Mary Brewster was born "Mary Wentworth." There is no evidence known at this moment, in Leiden, that answers the question of what the maiden name of Mary Brewster was.

2. I am grateful to Ms. Carolyn Freeman Travers of Plimoth Plantation for calling my attention to this issue, and for sending me copies of the relevant letters by Jonathan Brewster to John Winthrop: "Letters, &c., of Jonathan Brewster," Massachusetts Historical Collections, 4th Series, VII:66-87.

3. I have been informed of this book by Mrs. Henry G. R. White and Mrs. Clayton M. Merrick, Jr. [See Mayflower Descendant 1:1-8, 71-77]. A typical example in the Leiden Municipal Archives, of such a family book, is the one of the cartographer-surveyor, Jan Pietersz. Dou, which covers events in the time of the Pilgrims. Dou, however, was a supporter of the Remonstrants (Arminians) and was not in contact with such English opponents of Arminianism as the Pilgrims. His notes contain valuable observations from the opposite camp on the theological issues of the time, and their devisive effects within the Reformed churches. [See Bibliotheek Leiden en Omstreken, 7000 - 1 - Jan Pietersz. Dou.]

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6. A "stinksteeg" was an unnamed alley used for access to a few houses, and for carrying out the slops from them. On the location of this one, see D. Plooij's contribution to R. Harris and S. K. Jones, The Pilgrim Press, A Bibliographical & Historical Memorial of the Books Printed at Leyden by the Pilgrim

Fathers (Cambridge, 1922). A revision of this book is presently in preparation, by Drs. R. Breugelmans of the Leiden University Library; this revision will contain a paragraph by me bringing Plooij's archival references up to date. The alley where the Brewsters lived is now named "William Brewstersteeg."

7. William Bridgeman is the only Pilgrim whose Leiden possessions are listed in a preserved inventory: Rechterlijk Archief 84, G, fol. 64, May 29, 1619.

8. Secretarie Archief II, 1069, Poorterboek F (1603-1618), fol. 106.

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12. The document is photographically reproduced, transcribed, and translated in the book, Leyden Documents (see note 10 above), on page XXXII. There is a slight transcription error, however, in that "Jonatham" is given as "Jonathan" although the original has an "m"; and "Bryster" is given as "Bruyster" although the original has no "u".

13. See his contribution to Harris and Jones, The Pilgrim Press [see note 6 above]. One of the genealogical charts in my Cornelius Engebrechtsz.'s Leiden is of the family van Thorenvliet.

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STEPHEN HOPKINS, TRIPLE-FOUNDER

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No other man was a founding father of Bermuda, Jamestowne and Plymouth. Stephen Hopkins, my tenth-great-grandfather, was. If it were not for William Strachey's narrative, "Purchas his Pilgrimes," written in 1610,[1] no one would ever have known about this incredible triple-founder. That narrative, along with information from Margaret Hodges's magnificent historical novel, *Hopkins of the Mayflower, Portrait of a Dissenter*,[2] Terry Tucker's great book, *Bermuda - Unintended Destination*,[3] and G. B. Masefield's interesting booklet, *Worthies of Wotten-under-Edge*,[4] made the writing of this paper, and two historical events of recent years, possible.

It all began when Stephen Hopkins was born at Wortley, Wotton-under-Edge, Gloucestershire, England, on October 29, 1581. As a young man, Stephen, a weaver, married his first wife, Constance Dudley. They had three children, Constance, William and Giles. In 1608, the family moved to London where they possibly lived with his brother, Robert, at his home on Coleman Street. Constance was pregnant again when Stephen decided to go to Jamestowne, Virginia, in order to start a new life for himself and, later, for his family.

The London Company was greatly concerned about the welfare of Captain John Smith and the Jamestowne colonists. For this reason a relief fleet was assembled to sail for Jamestowne, to be of assistance to their fellow English men, women and children. The flagship of the fleet of seven ships and two pinnaces (smaller ships) was *Sea Venture*, a 300 ton vessel under the command of Admiral Sir George Somers. Aboard her were 150 men, women and children, the names of fewer than fifty of whom are known at this time.

The fleet left England June 2, 1609, bound for the New World. Hopkins was a clerk for the chaplain, the Reverend Master Richard Bucke, and too poor to afford the £12-2-0 it cost for a share of Stock in the London Company. He was, therefore, not listed among those "of the better sort" or those "of the common sort," but was simply an anonymous member of "others."

On July 25, 1609, the fleet encountered a terrible hurricane. The two pinnaces sank with all on board, and *Sea Venture* was blown off course, far to the south of the other six ships that

eventually reached Jamestowne. After four awful days and three nights in the hurricane, on the morning of July 28, 1609, Sir George Somers sighted land in the misty distance. It was the dreaded Bermudas, graveyard for many a ship which had broken apart on its shores in years past. Sir George spotted a split in the coral reef that lay ahead, three-quarters of a mile off the northeastern tip of the islands, He decided to try to steer *Sea Venture* through the split, reasoning that, if this failed, she would at least lodge in a vertical position rather than break apart on the reef.

Just as the leadsman yelled, "Five fathoms," there was the grinding crunch of wood on stone. *Sea Venture* lodged upright in the split in the reef. Not one of the 150 people aboard died. Boatload by boatload the passengers went ashore to the beach, the same beach that lies below the bluff on which the present Loew's Bermuda Beach Hotel stands. Bermuda was born.

All salvageable material was brought ashore from the ship in the following days. On the islands wild fruits and vegetables grew in abundance. Fish abounded. Wild hogs, descendants of hogs put ashore by Spanish sailors many years before, were everywhere, and were the source of meat for the passengers. It was truly a paradise.

John Rolfe's wife gave birth to a baby girl who was named Bermuda. She died not long afterward, however, and was buried on the island. Mistress Edward Eason gave birth to a baby boy who was christened "Bermudas." In the following nine and a half months, two smaller ships were built in order that the passengers might continue their voyage to Jamestowne. *Deliverance* was built mainly from the wreckage of *Sea Venture*. *Patience* was built under the supervision of Sir George Somers, mainly from the Bermuda cedars.

On January 24, 1610, Stephen Hopkins ate breakfast with Samuel Sharp and Humfrey Reed. As they ate, Stephen expressed his feelings that their obedience to their Governor "in Virginia" ceased when the shipwreck occurred, and that they should be free men and women in Bermuda. As logical as that reasoning may have been, it was not well-received by Governor Sir Thomas Gates when Sharp and Reed told him what Hopkins had said.

The Governor immediately had Hopkins arrested and put in irons. He ordered a court martial, charging mutiny and rebellion, the punishment for which was death. At the public trial, according to Strachey, "But so penitent he was, and made so much moane, alleging the ruin of his wife and children in this his trespass, as it wrought in the hearts of all the better sort of the company, who therefore with humble entreaties and

earnest supplication went unto our Governor, whom they besought (as likewise did Captain Newport and myself) and never left him until we had got his pardon." Stephen Hopkins became a part of recorded history.

On May 10, 1610, all of the *Sea Venture* passengers departed for Jamestowne aboard *Deliverance* and *Patience*, except for two men who died in Bermuda, one who was murdered, one who was shot for mutiny, seven who were lost at sea trying to reach Jamestowne in a longboat, and two who deserted and remained behind. They arrived in Jamestowne May 24, 1610.

It is not known when Hopkins returned to England, but it may have been just a few months later, aboard the *Patience*, which returned the body of Sir George Somers after he worked himself to death on a return trip to Bermuda to obtain food for the Jamestowne settlers. Sir George's heart was buried on the island of the shipwreck. Mistress Rolfe died in Jamestowne later. In 1614 John Rolfe married Pocahontas.

Imagine the immense feeling of tragedy which Stephen Hopkins must have felt when he returned to London and learned that his wife and their new baby, born in December 1609, and their eldest son, William, had all died while he was gone. Only his daughter, Constance and son, Giles remained. In the years that followed, Stephen Hopkins, weaver, of Wotton-under-Edge, became Mr. Stephen Hopkins, merchant, of London.

In the spring of 1618, Stephen Hopkins married his second wife, Elizabeth Fisher. They had one daughter, Damaris, born a year later. Elizabeth was pregnant again when she, her husband, Stephen, and children Constance, Giles and Damaris, set sail for the new world aboard the *Mayflower*. It was during this voyage that they first met my tenth- and ninth-great-grandfathers, Thomas and Joseph Rogers. Elizabeth Hopkins, as we know, gave birth to Oceanus aboard the *Mayflower*, before the landing at Plymouth occurred.

In 1979, Dr. John Bennett, Albuquerque obstetrician and ninth-great-grandson of John Rolfe and Pocohontas, and I obtained permission from the Bermuda government to dive on the wreck of *Sea Venture*. In scuba-diving gear we stepped off the stern of the glass-bottomed dive boat and descended first to the top of the coral reef, twelve feet below the surface of the water. Then we dove another eighteen feet to the sandy bottom, five fathoms below the water surface. There, covered by sand and stretching seaward from the split in the reef, was the keel and short segment of the ribs, of *Sea Venture*, like a gigantic fish skeleton. John and I stood in her forecastle area, then touched her keel, soggy brown wood which felt almost alive. Watching us through the glass bottom of the dive boat above was Edmund

Downing, ninth-great-grandson of Sir George Yeardley, and the man who discovered the wreck in 1958. What a magnificent moment! A Hopkins, a Rolfe and a Yeardley, back together again at the wreck of that great ship 370 years later! We made the dive in order to honor our specific great-grandparents, as well as Sir George Somers, father of his country, and all of the other *Sea Venture* passengers.

In 1982, Richard Gilpin Hopkins, ninth-great-grandson of Stephen Hopkins, and his wife, Astrid, placed a bronze plaque on the *Mayflower* monument on the quay in Southampton, England, honoring Stephen Hopkins. This act received widespread news coverage in England because of the sense of mutual heritage and kinship we all feel.

On Somers Day, July 28, 1984, an historic re-enactment took place in Bermuda. On that day, descendants of four of the known men aboard *Sea Venture* - Bagwell, Carter, Hopkins and Yeardley, dressed in period costume, went out in boats to the *Sea Venture* wreck site and came ashore on the same beach where their ancestors had landed 375 years earlier, almost to the hour. The next day, Sunday, I had the honor of reading the Epistle (Romans 8:20-26) at the morning service at St. Peter's Church, St. George's, Bermuda. I had a feeling that my tenth-great-grandfather, Stephen Hopkins, triple-founder, was smiling.

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A VISIT TO THE BIRTHPLACE OF STEPHEN HOPKINS

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I wonder how many of the descendants of Stephen Hopkins who travel to England are aware of the memorable adventures and experiences available to them at Wotton-under-Edge in Gloucestershire, the quaint and historically documented little town in the beautiful Cotswolds where Stephen was born and grew up. First chartered in A.D. 940, this ancient town became, from the thirteenth century into the mid-nineteenth century, a center for the wool trade, weaving and cloth-making. The little town today takes great pride in having been the birthplace and home of Stephen Hopkins who made the trip to America on the *Mayflower*

The Ram Inn, built in the thirteenth century, is the oldest building in town and projects its ancient heritage into today. The owner for the past two decades, Mr. I. P. John Humphries, has been lovingly restoring the old stone place, structurally and internally. Last June, when my husband and I reached there by car, we were greeted by our most gracious host who subsequently showed us the sights of the town and environs. This included the handsome large old stone home of Stephen Hopkins's father, and the beautiful Castle Coombe village, the movie set for Dr. Doolittle with Rex Harrison. In the evening, John Humphries took us along as guests to the Manor House where, to the accompaniment of refreshments of wine and cheese, there was a demonstration of the ancient and once-again esteemed method of lye-treating stone in old structure restoration.

Mr. Humphries gave us several pages of Gloucestershire archival material showing all the deeds and grants of the Ram Inn including that to the forefathers of Stephen Hopkins, under the aegis of Henry VIII in 1539.

Not to be forgotten is the detailed tour and description of each of the rooms in this seven-hundred-year-old priest's house and public inn, even to the attic, where were housed, discreetly, eighteenth century highwaymen. The hospitable Mr. Humphries is delighted with the visit of each Hopkins descendant, and keeps a large portfolio of memorabilia of previous visitors of the Hopkins lineage.

Virginia W. Shaw (Mrs. Henry M. Shaw), a descendant of Stephen Hopkins, is a member of the New Jersey Society. Her address is 22 Beechwood Drive, Morristown, NJ 07960.

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by Ruth B. Hall, Curator

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Georgia Society - purchase of an old Japanese bronze candle lamp, and a custom made lamp stand for it. This was given to the Mayflower Society in memory of Mrs. Maude Peteet. Mrs. Peteet was loved, appreciated and admired for her loyalty, devotion and interest in this Society. After her two terms of service as Governor she continued to give and support the Society and remained extremely active until January 1985. She entertained the Georgia Board on many, many occasions. She will be greatly missed.

CHRISTMAS BY THE SEA is going to be held again this year. On Thursday evening, December 5, 1985, Preview night will be held at the Mayflower Society Museum. The Mayflower Society Museum and other Houses will be open to the public on December 6, 7 and 8. They will be decorated for the Holiday Season and music will be provided throughout each day.

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EDUCATION COMMITTEE ACTIVITIES AT THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE BOARD OF ASSISTANTS IN ST. PAUL, MINN.

by Eileen Moschel, Chairman

1. Material available from the Chairman of the Education Committee was displayed at a table in the meeting room. Most of those who attended the meeting visited the table and we had an opportunity to exchange ideas.

2. Volume 1, Number 1 of the *Education Committee Newsletter* was given to everyone at the meeting. We would like to publish this newsletter four times a year. Emphasis would be placed on special projects of State Societies. I need your help. Would State Society Governors and Education Committee Chairmen please write to me with information about your special projects? WE WANT TO KNOW WHAT YOU ARE DOING!

ARIZONA SOCIETY From a letter written by Frances H. Williams, Education Chairman: "We have been given a green light to test this program in the Mesa School District, Mesa, Arizona. This is the second largest district in Arizona and has thirty-four elementary schools. These materials will be used in the 5th Grade Social Studies unit, which will be presented by 250 teachers to 3,642 students, as of the opening date of the Fall 1985 term."

MOTHER LODE COLONY, CALIFORNIA SOCIETY The Colony participated in a History Week program at the local library in Sacramento. A window display was prepared in the library and included an American Flag, a Mayflower Compact, a picture of the *Mayflower*, a mannequin wearing the type of clothing worn by the Pilgrims, a copy of the *Mayflower Quarterly*, and various Education Committee publications. Members participated in demonstrations in the Library, of methods used in the colonial era to prepare food, etc. A "Thank you" for this report goes to Helen Gregory, Education Chairman for the Mother Lode Colony, and to Patricia Stanford, Junior Membership Chairman of the California Society.

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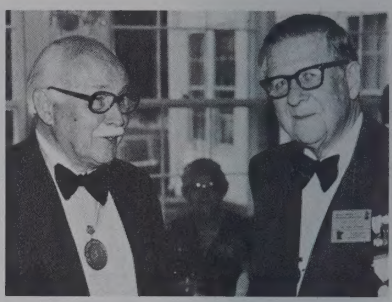
WEEKEND IN ST. PAUL - THE GENERAL BOARD OF ASSISTANTS MEETING, SEPTEMBER 7, 1985

Gov. and Mrs. Robert B. Mirick, Minnesota Society, at the banquet held at the beautiful Minikahda Club in Minneapolis.



AG Harry L. Walen, Massachusetts Society, (left), with Executive Committee Member Noel S. O'Reilly of the Illinois Society.

Three generations attending the banquet were, (l. to r.), Jennifer L. Broms with her mother, Priscilla Jean Broms, and her grandmother, Acting DGG Mildred Armentrout, all of the South Dakota Society.

DGG Dr. and Mrs. Bruce B. Butler of the Louisiana Society, were also at the banquet. Bruce Butler is the new president of the Elder William Brewster Society.

All photos by DGG Richard J. Damisch of Illinois.

Gov. Gen. and Mrs. William N. Davis of the Rhode Island Society, (above), are seen enjoying the hospitality of Minnesota Society members.

DGG Harold J. Hubbard of the Rhode Island Society, is shown just behind, and to the left of, Executive Committee Member John C. Miller and his wife, Donna, of the Oklahoma Society.

Treasurer General Kendrick Holle, (far left), in deep thought, standing near the North Carolina delegation, who are, from left to right: State Gov. Mrs. Walter Spaeth, DGG John A. Williamson, Mrs. Thomas C. Latimer, AG Charles H. Yarborough, Jr., and Past DGG and Past Governor Mrs. W. T. Powell. Mrs. Powell has been a member of the Society for fifty years and served on the General Board for ten years.

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JOHN TILLEY AND WILLIAM MULLINS ACCORDED FULL STATUS AS MAYFLOWER ANCESTORS

by Dixon A. Barr

For many years the General Society of Mayflower Descendants has claimed that we have *twenty-three* ancestors from whom descent can be proved, when in fact the number has actually been *twenty-five*. This has been misleading and has not given John Tilley and William Mullins the same status accorded to other qualifying passengers. Many of our publications state that descendants of John Howland can automatically claim descent from John Tilley, father of John Howland's wife, Elizabeth Tilley, and that John Alden's descendants qualify similarly as descendants of William Mullins, father of John Alden's wife, Priscilla Mullins. Yet we have not accepted lineage papers on either John Tilley or William Mullins as progenitors, nor do we list them as ancestors in state membership rosters, or read their names at Compact Day dinners.

Obviously there never has been a question concerning whether the Society recognized the two individuals as *Mayflower* passengers or Mayflower Compact signers. Therefore, in a procedural change endorsed by the Executive Committee and approved by the General Board of Assistants at the meeting in St. Paul, Minn., Sept. 6, 1985, this oversight has been corrected and the names of John Tilley and William Mullins have been added to the list from whom both original and supplemental memberships may be claimed. The complete list of *Mayflower* passengers from whom descent has been proved now reads:

rg's Mayflower Lines

1. John Alden
2. Isaac Allerton
3. John Billington
4. William Bradford
5. William Brewster
6. Peter Brown
7. James Chilton
8. Francis Cooke
9. Edward Doty
10. Francis Eaton
11. Edward Fuller
12. Samuel Fuller
13. Stephen Hopkins
14. John Howland
15. Richard More
16. William Mullins
17. Degory Priest
18. Thomas Rogers
19. Henry Samson
20. George Soule
21. Myles Standish
22. John Tilley
23. Richard Warren
24. William White
25. Edward Winslow

A twenty-sixth name may soon be added to this list. That is the name of Moses Fletcher who was born in Sandwich, England, and was a member of the Pilgrim band who lived in Leiden. Moses sailed on board the *Mayflower* in 1620, leaving his wife and children behind in Holland. He was one of the forty-one signers of the Mayflower Compact and died in Plymouth during the first terrible winter. Robert S. Wakefield researched the first five generations of the descendants of Moses Fletcher and the results were published in the *Mayflower Quarterly* in 1975. Now Dr. Jeremy D. Bangs, curator of the Leiden Pilgrim Documents Center, the Leiden Municipal Archives, in the Netherlands, has succeeded in documenting the lineage of some of Moses Fletcher's present-day descendants through his daughter, Priscilla, who married Thomas Koet. This is a very exciting development indeed. It demonstrates that many interesting genealogical discoveries remain for present-day researchers to discover and fit together and document, contributing to a better understanding of our Pilgrim ancestors.

Dr. Dixon A. Barr, member-at-large of the Executive Committee of the General Society, Assistant General and Governor of the Kentucky Society, and chairman of the Genealogical Review Panel of the Five Generations Project, is a descendant of Capt. Myles Standish. His address is 104 Bob-O-Link Drive, Richmond, KY 40475.

HENRY HORNBLOWER 2nd (1918-1985)

Henry Hornblower 2nd, of Cambridge, Mass., the well-known founder of Plimoth Plantation in Plymouth, Mass., died Sunday, October 20, 1985 at the age of 67 years. A well-known Boston stockbroker, his deep interest in the history of colonial New England led him to found the famous outdoor living history museum of 17th century Plymouth which is known throughout the world. Its exhibits include a full scale replica of the original *Mayflower*, docked at State Pier in Plymouth Harbor, and an authentic 1627 Pilgrim Village, built on the rolling hills south of Plymouth where Mr. Hornblower spent the summers of his childhood. Among his many honors was the Mayflower Society's "Non-Member Award" for outstanding service in recreating and preserving knowledge about the daily life of our Pilgrim Fathers. His service in contributing to a better understanding of colonial history will always be remembered. Governor General William N. Davis and his wife, Dorothy, attended the Memorial Service held Wednesday, October 25, 1985, in Harvard Memorial Chapel.

THE MEANING OF "JUNR" IN COLONIAL USAGE

Many words and phrases used by our colonial ancestors had a slightly different meaning in that era than the same words, used in a similar context, have today. One of these differences concerns the use of *Junr* or *Jr* after a name, usually without a period, often with a man's name, but sometimes also used for a woman.

As a case in point, a reader has written to suggest that the listing of the name of Samuel Fuller, Jr., below that of Samuel Fuller, in the excellent article by Dr. Jeremy D. Bangs, "Mayflower Passengers in Leiden: A List," was in error. [*The Mayflower Quarterly* (May 1985) 51:57-60.] The reader is correct in saying that Samuel Fuller, Jr., who came to Plymouth in the *Mayflower* as a five-year-old child, was the son of Edward Fuller. However, she is mistaken when she added, "I am quite certain that the addition of Jr. to (Samuel's) name is in error ...."

The problem here is that the reader does not understand colonial phraseology. In answer, Dr. Bangs rightly states, "The list as published is arranged alphabetically. In that list anyone sharing the same name as another person on the list, and younger than the other, is identified as 'younger,' which is abbreviated, 'Jr.' As many readers are aware, 'Jr.' stands for 'Junior,' and that, itself, is Latin for 'younger.' Only in very recent American colloquialism has this indication ever strictly implied that the younger person was a child of, and not, for example, a sibling or nephew of, the person whose name is shared."

In an article in this issue, "Five Men Named Samuel Sturgis," the same problem is encountered. In this case, Samuel Sturgis, the son of John Sturgis, was called "Junr." in Barnstable town records, in an attempt to distinguish him from his uncle, also named Samuel Sturgis. An even younger, more distantly related Samuel Sturgis was called "Samuel Sturgis, 3rd.," when he married Lydia Crocker, just to make certain that people knew which Samuel Sturgis was involved in this marriage.

A lack of knowledge of this important difference in the colonial meaning of this commonly used abbreviation, as compared with modern usage, has lead to many errors in tracing Mayflower lineages.

Elizabeth Pearson White, Editor

FIVE MEN NAMED SAMUEL STURGIS

by Roberta G. Bratti, Ralph V. Wood, Jr., and Elizabeth P. White

There were at least five men in Barnstable County, Mass., during the early 1700s, all named Samuel Sturgis, only some of whom had Mayflower ancestry. Three of these men of the same name died in Barnstable County in 1762, creating confusion among genealogical and historical researchers. In order to identify what happened to those who were descended from the Mayflower passenger, John Howland, these five men of the same name had to be identified, and each of their records had to be untangled from each of the others.

1. SAMUEL STURGIS[4] (Temperance Gorham[3], Desire[2] Howland, John[1]), was born at Yarmouth about 1665,[1] and died there 12 Jan. 1736/7,[2] the son of Edward and Temperance (Gorham) Sturgis. At the age of 35, Samuel married at Yarmouth, 17 Oct. 1700, MARCY HOWES, aged 19,[3] who was born at Yarmouth in 1681,[4] the daughter of Jeremiah and Sarah (Prence) Howes. Marcy died at Yarmouth 28 Aug. 1723, in her 42nd year and was buried in the Ancient Cemetery.[5]

Marcy Sturgis was mentioned in the will of her father, Jeremiah Howes, along with her brothers, Prince and Ebenezer Howes. Her father called Marcy's husband, Samuel Sturgis, "my son," and Samuel served as one of the executors of his father-in-law's estate.[4]

Samuel Sturgis, Esq., was a merchant and Town Clerk for twenty-nine years in Yarmouth, and representative from 1705 to 1732.[6] In his will, dated 29 June 1736, probated 17 Feb. 1736/7, he gave his gold seal ring to son John, land to Prince, Samuel and Thomas, and his dwelling house to Samuel and Thomas. Daughter Hannah Quinsey was given £1000, in addition to what she had already received. He gave a gold buckle and a silver tankard to son Thomas and a silver tankard of the same weight to son Prince. He also gave £80 to the Rev. Mr. Thomas Smith, and £200 to the poor of Yarmouth. All of the remainder of his estate was divided among his four sons, John, Samuel, Thomas and Prince. Witnesses were Benjamin Thacher, Elisha Whelden and John Thacher.[7]

Children (STURGIS), born at Yarmouth:[8]

i. Dau., b. 10 July 1701; d.y.
ii. SARAH[5], b. 24 Mar. 1703; d. 3 May 1706.
2. iii. JOHN, b. 6 Nov. 1704.
3. iv. SAMUEL, b. 28 Oct. 1706.
4. v. THOMAS, b. 25 Nov. 1709.
5. vi. HANNAH, b. 1 Jan. 1711/12.
6. vii. PRINCE, b. 11 Sept. 1715.
viii. MARCY, b. 30 Dec. 1718; d. Yarmouth 20 Feb. 1718/9.

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2. JOHN STURGIS[5] (Samuel Sturgis[4], Temperance Gorham[3], Desire[2] Howland, John[1]) was born at Yarmouth, 6 Nov. 1704, the son of Samuel and Mercy (Howes) Sturgis.[1] He died at Barnstable, 10 Aug. 1759, at 56 years of age.[2]

John Sturgis, called "merchant," married at Barnstable, 5 Sept. 1728 (int. 29 June 1728) ABIGAIL ALLEN,[3] who was born 20 May 1711, the daughter of Ebenezer and Rebecca (Russell) Allen.[4] Abigail died at Barnstable 10 Dec. 1752, in her 42nd year.[5]

John Sturgis, Esq., married, secondly, at Barnstable, 9 May 1754, his cousin, MEHITABLE (DAVIS[6]) (HERSEY) RUSSELL,[6] who was born at Barnstable, 10 Aug. 1717,[7] the daughter of Capt. John Davis and his wife, Mehitable Dimmock[5] (Desire Sturgis[4], Temperance Gorham[3], Desire[2] Howland, John[1]). This was Mehitable's third marriage. She was the widow of Dr. James Hersey and of John Russell. After John Sturgis died, Mehitable married her fourth husband, Daniel Davis. Mehitable (Davis) (Hersey) (Russell) (Sturgis) Davis died in 1803.[8]

John Sturgis graduated from Harvard College in 1723 and became an attorney.[9] In his will, dated 27 June 1758, probated 21 Sept. 1759, he mentioned his wife, Mehitable, her two sons, Ezekiel Hersey and John Russell, both minors, their three youngest children, Hannah, Sarah and John Sturgis, his married daughter, Rebecca Otis and eldest son Samuel Sturgis. Wife Mehitable was named executrix. The inventory of the testate portion of his estate, taken 30 July 1760, amounted to £274-0-1. After the widow's one-third part was set off to her, the

intestate part of the woodlands and meadows was divided between his son, Samuel, who received four-fifths, and their daughter, Sarah, who received one-fifth, since their youngest son John had died. Witnesses were Edmond Hawes, Thankful Dimmock and Lucy Davis.[10]

On 4 Mar. 1760, son-in-law Joseph Otis, Esq., was appointed guardian of Hannah Sturgis, "a minor daughter of John Sturgis, late of Barnstable, Esq.," then 20 years of age.[11] The following 1 July 1760, Oris Bacon of Barnstable, Gent., was appointed guardian of Sarah Sturgis, "a minor daughter of John Sturgis, Esq."[12]

Children (STURGIS), born at Barnstable:

By first wife:[13]

i. SAMUEL[6], b. 18 Mar. 1729/30, d. Barnstable, bef. 30 July 1762; called "Junr." in Barnstable records; m. (1) Barnstable, 18 Nov. 1754, OLIVE ALLEN; m. (2) Barnstable, 24 Jan. 1757, ABIGAIL CARPENTER.
ii. JOHN, b. 18 Feb. 1731, d. 25 Mar. 1752.
iii. REBECCA, b. 12 May 1735.
iv. ABIGAIL, b. 1 Oct. 1737, d. 21 Oct. 1737.
v. EBENEZER, b. 3 Feb. 1738/9, d. 12 Jan. 1740.
vi. ABIGAIL, b. 4 Sept. 1740, d. 23 Sept. 1740.
vii. HANNAH, b. 9 Mar. 1741/2.
viii. ABIGAIL, b. 28 Nov. 1752; not in father's will.

By second wife:[14]

v. SARAH[6-7], b. 17 Apr. 1755.
vi. JOHN, bpt. 19 Mar. 1758; d. bef. 1760.

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3. SAMUEL STURGIS[5] (Samuel Sturgis[4], Temperance Gorham[3], Desire[2] Howland, John[1]) was born at Yarmouth, 28 Oct. 1706,[1]

the son of Samuel and Mercy (Howes) Sturgis. He died at Boston, 8 July 1767.[2]

Samuel Sturgis was married at Boston, by the Rev. William Cooper, on 17 Sept. 1734, to LUCRETIA WENDELL,[3] who was baptized in New York City, 18 July 1714.[4] She was the daughter of Abraham and Katarina (De Key) Wendell of Boston. Lucretia died at Barnstable in March 1752.[5]

Many sources state erroneously that Samuel Sturgis[5] had two more wives.[6] It was this Samuel's nephew, Samuel Sturgis[6], the second of the name in the area, and therefore called "Junr.," the son of Samuel[5]'s brother, John Sturgis[5], who married, for his first wife, Olive Allen, at Barnstable, 28 Nov. 1754.[7] Olive was born at Barnstable, 18 Dec. 1735,[8] the daughter of James and Susannah (Lewis) Allen. Still called "Mr. Samuel Sturgis, Junr.," this nephew married secondly, at Barnstable, 24 Jan. 1757, Abigail Carpenter,[9] who was born at Woodstock, Conn., 6 Jan. 1733/4, the daughter of Eliphalet and Abigail (Parker) (Bacon) Carpenter. Abigail died at Barnstable 9 Feb. 1795, aged 63 years. Abigail (Carpenter) Sturgis was mentioned in her father's will, 16 Mar. 1760.[10] Two children born to "Samuel Sturgis, Junr., and Abigail, his second wife", named John and Lucretia,[11] have also been given erroneously to the Samuel Sturgis[5] who married Lucretia Wendell. Nephew Samuel Sturgis, "Junr.," died before 30 July 1762, the date when Joseph Otis, his brother-in-law, and Abigail Sturgis, his widow, administered his estate.[12]

The Samuel Sturgis under discussion here, who married Lucretia Wendell, was mentioned by his brother, Thomas Sturgis, 28 Mar. 1739, the date on which Thomas made his will. Many printed sources state erroneously that this Samuel Sturgis died at Barnstable in 1762. Actually, there were three other men named Samuel Sturgis who all died there in 1762. Our Samuel was not the Samuel Sturgis, goldsmith, the administration of whose estate was granted to Cornelius Crocker, 7 Sept. 1762. This man was Capt. Samuel Sturgis, "3rd", who married 3 Apr. 1760 Lydia Crocker, who was born at Barnstable, 14 Apr. 1739, the daughter of Cornelius Crocker. According to the *Crocker Genealogy*, (p. 37), this Capt. Samuel Sturgis died in Aug. 1762, aged 25 yrs.[13]

Another Samuel Sturgis died 26 Jan. 1762, "in his 86th yr." and was buried in Cobb's Hill Cemetery, Barnstable, next to his wife, Mary Oris. His age and the name of his wife prove he was not our Samuel Sturgis. His will, dated 19 Jan. 17[53?], was probated 2 Mar. 1762. The inventory for his estate was presented 6 Apr. 1762, with Stephen Davis and Oris Bacon as appraisers. Nathaniel Sturgis was the executor.[14]

The third Samuel Sturgis to die in 1762 was our Samuel's nephew, Samuel Sturgis[6], "Junr.," mentioned above, whose brother-in-law, Joseph Otis, and widow, Abigail Sturgis, administered his estate.[15]

The Samuel Sturgis[5] studied here graduated from Harvard College in 1725.[16] He received land at Crow's Purchase from his father, one-half to him and one-half to his brother Thomas.[17] In 1735 Samuel was appointed notary public for the port of Barnstable, the same year he was made a member of the House of Representatives from Yarmouth. His wife, Lucretia Wendell, was a member of a prominent Boston family. Their first daughter, Mercy, was baptized at the Brattle Street Church, 10 Aug. 1735. Two other children died in infancy and were buried at Yarmouth. Samuel was a wealthy merchant and shipowner. He moved to Boston in 1741, but kept a home in Barnstable where his wife died in 1752.[18]

In his will, dated 17 June 1767, and presented for probate at Suffolk County Courthouse in Boston, 16 July 1767, Samuel Sturgis of Boston, Esq., ordered that his warehouse in Butler's Row, Boston, be sold, as well as land in Gorham Town, County of Cumberland, with their after rights, and two lots in the east end of Yarmouth and partly in Harwich, in the County of Barnstable. His executors were instructed to retain £100, the interest to be used to support his brother, Prince Sturgis, "whom it has pleased God in his Providence to deprive of his reason." After Prince's death, the remainder was to be divided equally amongst the children or representatives of his three brothers, John, Thomas and Prince, and the four children of his late sister, Hannah Quincy. One-third part of his personal and real estate was bequeathed to Edmund Quincy, 3rd, Samuel Quincy, Josiah Quincy, Junr., and Hannah, wife of Dr. Bela Lincoln, children of his late sister Hannah Quincy, deceased, late wife of Josiah Quincy of Braintree, Esq.; one-third to the children or representatives of his late brother, John Sturgis, late of Barnstable, deceased; unto Mary, wife of [----] McAlpine, daughter and only child of his brother, Thomas Sturgis, deceased, one full sixth part; and unto Elizabeth, wife of Arthur Savage, Esq., of Falmouth, daughter and only child of his brother Prince Sturgis. Deacon Timothy Newell, Melatiah Bourne and Samuel Quincy, Esqr., all of Boston, were named executors. Witnesses were Richard Lurcom, William Breed and William Flagg.[19]

The inventory of seven pages, valued at £812-14-7, was taken in July 1767, and presented to the court 28 Aug. 1767. Separate final accounts were filed by Melatiah Bourne and Samuel Quincy, dated 9 Dec. 1774.[20]

Children (STURGIS), first one baptized at Brattle St. Church, Boston, last two buried in the Ancient Cemetery, Yarmouth:[21]

i. MERCY[6], bp. 10 Aug. 1735; not in father's will.
ii. ABRAHAM, b. 23 Oct. 1736, d. 18 Jan. 1736/7, aged 2 months 26 days.
iii. LUCRETIA, b. 20 Nov. 1737, d. 3 Feb. 1737/8, aged 2 months 13 days.

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4. THOMAS STURGIS[5] (Samuel Sturgis[4], Temperance Gorham[3], Desire[2] Howland, John[1]) was born at Yarmouth, 25 Nov. 1709,[1] the son of Samuel and Mercy (Howes) Sturgis. He died at Yarmouth, 5 Apr. 1739, in his 30th yr., and was buried in the Ancient Cemetery, Yarmouth.[2]

Thomas Sturgis married (int.) Yarmouth, 27 Feb. 1735, REBECCA NORTON,[3] who was born in 1713,[4] the daughter of Samuel and Content (Coggeshall) Norton of Chilmark. She married, secondly, Solomon Townsend of Newport,[5] and died after 1760.[6]

Thomas was a merchant in Yarmouth. In his will, dated 28 Mar. 1739, probated 25 Apr. 1739, Thomas Sturgis, shopkeeper, bequeathed to his well-beloved wife, Rebecca, the use and improvement of all of his real estate in Yarmouth, and half of his personal estate, in lieu of her third or right of dower. He gave the Rev. Thomas Smith £20. He gave the remainder of his estate, his clock and his silver tankard, to his "only" child, Marcy Sturgis. If she did not survive her mother, this bequest was to be divided, one-half to go to his wife "forever," and the

other half to his brothers, John, Samuel and Prince Sturgis, and his sister, Hannah Quincy. Brother John Sturgis, friend John Hedge, and wife, Rebecca, were named executors. Witnesses were Joseph Hamblin, Bayes Hawes and Elizabeth Bassett. The inventory amounted to £2819-1-10, in addition to a legacy due from the estate of his father, Samuel Sturgis, Esq., dec., "not yet received and the sum unknown" [£640-1-1].[7]

In September, 1750, Rebecca and her second husband, Solomon Townsend, "the said Rebecca is guardian to Mercy Sturgis, a minor daughter to Thomas Sturgis, late of Yarmouth, shopkeeper, deceased," asked the Barnstable court for an allowance of £164-3-0. On 15 July 1754, "the said Mercy being very weakly," Solomon and Rebecca Townsend appeared and made oath to the said account.[8] On 12 Mar. 1760, "Mercy Sturgis, of Newport, R.I., singlewoman, daughter of Thomas Sturgis, late of Yarmouth,..." signed for the receipt from her mother of all of her inheritance.[9]

When Thomas Sturgis's brother, Samuel Sturgis, died in Boston, 8 July 1767, he made a bequest in his will to "*Mary*, wife of [----] McAlpine, daughter and only child of my Brother Thomas Sturgis, deceased."[10] Arnold's *Vital Records of Rhode Island*, for Newport County, shows the marriage of *Mary Sturgess* to *Lemuel* McAlpine, at Newport, 19 Sept. 1763. Under "Births," Arnold reports the births of three children to *Samuel and Mercy* McAlpine, as follows: Samuel Sturgess McAlpine, born 26 July 1764, John McAlpine, born 10 Jan. 1766 and Lydia McAlpine, born 11 Apr. 1767.[11]

Children (STURGIS), born at Yarmouth:[12]

i. PRINCE[6], b. 5 Aug. 1737; d. 8 June 1738, aged 10 mos. 3 days.
ii. MERCY, b. 21 Jan. 1738.

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5. HANNAH STURGIS[5] (Samuel Sturgis[4], Temperance Gorham[3], Desire[2] Howland, John[1]) was born at Yarmouth, 1 Jan. 1711,[1]

the daughter of Samuel and Mercy (Howes) Sturgis. She died, probably at Braintree, Mass., 9 Aug. 1755, aged 43 yrs.[2]

Hannah Sturgis married at Yarmouth, 11 Jan. 1732/3 JOSIAH QUINCY,[3] who was born at Braintree, 1 Apr. 1710,[4] the son of Edmund and Dorothy (Flint) Quincy. Josiah married, secondly, at Braintree, 19 Feb. 1756, Elizabeth Waldron, the daughter of the Rev. William Waldron, by whom he had a daughter, Elizabeth. Josiah was called "Col. Quincy" when he married, on 11 July 1762, his third wife, Ann Marsh, the daughter of the Rev. Joseph and Ann (Fiske) Marsh, by whom he had a daughter, Nancy.[5] Daughters Elizabeth and Nancy were not descendants of John Howland. Josiah Quincy died at Braintree, 11 Mar. 1784.[6]

Hannah was named as Hannah *Quinsey* in her father's will, 29 June 1736, in which she was given £1000.[7] Josiah Quincy graduated from Harvard in 1728. He was a merchant in Boston with connections in London, Amsterdam, Paris and Cadiz. He later built factories in Braintree to manufacture glass and candles. In 1753 he was chosen moderator in Braintree and was a member of the House of Representatives. In 1762 he became colonel of the Third Suffolk Regiment. Both Josiah Quincy and his son, Josiah, were ardent Patriots, although son Samuel Quincy was a Loyalist. Son Josiah Quincy died unexpectedly in April 1775, after returning from London. The senior Josiah Quincy was a friend of George Washington and Benjamin Franklin.[8]

In his will dated 23 Mar. 1781, with a codicil dated 17 Feb. 1784, and probated 30 Mar. 1784, Josiah Quincy mentioned his third wife, Ann, his son Samuel Quincy, who was "overseas for the duration" of the Revolutionary War, daughter Hannah, wife of Ebenezer Storer, Esq., daughters Elizabeth and Nancy Quincy, and daughters-in-law Hannah and Abigail Quincy. The distribution mentioned the widow's annuity, daughter Hannah, wife of Ebenezer Storer, Esq., daughter Nancy Quincy and granddaughter Hannah, wife of Aaron Hall.[9]

Children (QUINCY), births recorded at Braintree:[10]

i. EDMUND[6], b. 1 Oct. 1733.
ii. SAMUEL, b. 13 Apr. 1735.
iii. HANNAH, b. 11 Sept. 1736.
iv. JOSIAH, b. 23 Feb. 1744.

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6. PRINCE STURGIS[5] (Samuel Sturgis[4], Temperance Gorham[3], Desire[2] Howland, John[1]) was born at Yarmouth, 11 Sept. 1715,[1] the son of Samuel and Mercy (Howes) Sturgis. Prince was living 17 June 1767 when he was mentioned as being *non compos mentis* in the will of his brother, Samuel Sturgis.[2]

Prince Sturgis married at Boston, 12 Oct. 1738, ELIZABETH FAYERWEATHER,[3] who was born, probably at Boston, about 1718, the daughter of John and Jerusha (Gross) Fayerweather of Boston.[4] Elizabeth died before 1760, when her father, John Fayerweather of Boston, in his will, dated 11 Sept. 1760, proved 1 Oct. 1760, mentioned his beloved granddaughter, Elizabeth Sturgis.[5]

There are no probate records for Prince Sturgis in Barnstable County although, in addition to £3000, he received more property in Yarmouth from his father than his brothers and sister. He was named in the wills of his father, Samuel Sturgis, 29 June 1738, and of his brother, Thomas Sturgis, 28 Mar. 1739.[6] His brother, Samuel Sturgis, Esq., in his will dated 17 June 1767, left £100 for the support of Prince Sturgis, non compos mentis, and mentioned that Prince had one living child, Elizabeth, wife of Arthur Savage, Jr., Esq., of Falmouth.[7] Ralph Van Wood, Jr., in searching the Fayerweather Papers at NEHGS, found the parentage of Elizabeth Fayerweather, and the name of "Bette Sturgis" mentioned in an accounting by John Fayerweather, dated 9 Dec. 1745. Elizabeth Sturgis, daughter of Prince and Elizabeth (Fayerweather) Sturgis, married at Boston, 19 Nov. 1761, Arthur Savage, Jr., of Falmouth.[8] Arthur Savage was a merchant and collector of customs at Falmouth. He became a Loyalist during the Revolution and went to England. In a letter dated Knightsbridge, London, 24 Aug. 1781, written to Thomas Fayerweather of Boston, Arthur Savage mentioned his daughter Faith, and said that his wife had died of measles on 21 Mar. 1781.[9]

Child (STURGIS), probably born at Boston:[10]

i. ELIZABETH[6], b. ca. 1740.

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EZRA AND SARAH (DENISON) KINNE OF PRESTON, CONN.

by Marilyn R. Landry

The identity of Sarah Denison, the daughter of George Denison[4] (Mercy Gorham[3], Desire[2] Howland, John[1]), and his second wife, Joanna Hinckley, was a source of confusion until Jean Rumsey, F.A.S.G., wrote an article, "Denison and Tyler Corrections," which was published in *The New England Historical and Genealogical Register* (July 1973) 127:199-200. In this article, Miss Rumsey quoted the will of Moses Tyler, Joanna (Hinckley) Denison's second husband, in which Moses Tyler called Sarah Kinne his "daughter-in-law," a term which meant "step-daughter," in colonial usage. The correct identification of Sarah Denison opened up a previously unknown Mayflower line for those who descend from the marriage of Sarah Denison to Ezra Kinne.

The birth of SARAH DENISON to George Denison and his wife, Joanna, was recorded at Stonington, Conn., 7 Sept. 1733. Sarah was baptized at New London, Conn., 16 Sept. 1733, "on her mother's account."[1] She died at Preston, now Griswold, Conn., 1 Mar 1792, aged 58 yrs.[2]

Sarah Denison married at Preston, Conn., 24 Oct. 1748 EZRA KINNE of Preston.[3] Ezra was born at Preston, 20 Sept. 1727, the son of Joseph Kinne.[4] He died there, 8 Feb. 1795, aged 66 yrs.[5]

Ezra was a very successful farmer. He and his wife owned the covenant, 22 Apr. 1750, at the Second or North Preston Church, which at that time was called "the north ecclesiastical society of Preston," and is now in Griswold, Conn.

In his will dated 22 Feb. 1794, and probated 16 Feb. 1795, Capt. Ezra Kinne gave his two beloved sons, Peabody and Denison, £5 each, in addition to horses, livestock and wearing apparel. Son Ezra received land, livestock, a negro boy named Prince "until the law makes him free," and an apprentice named Asa Bowdish "until his time is out." Capt. Kinne also named his six beloved daughters, Joanna, Mary, Jemima, Sarah, Senthe and Lucretia, who were to have the indoor moveables. Son Ezra and son-in-law, Dr. Allen Campbell, were named executors. Witnesses were Samuel Yeomans, Seth Morgan and Alexander Stewart.[6]

Children (KINNE), born at Preston, Conn.:[7]

i. JOANNA[6] b. 25 June 1749.
ii. MERCY (MARCY), b. 12 July 1751.
iii. JEMIMA, b. 3 May 1753.
iv. SARAH, b. 1 Aug. 1755.
v. PEABODY, b. 20 July 1757.
vi. SARAH, b. 23 Oct. 1760.
vii. CYNTHIA (SYNTHIA/SENTHE), b. 26 May 1763.
viii. DENISON, b. 5 Jan. 1766.
ix. LUCRETIA, b. 13 May 1770.
x. EZRA, b. 18 Feb. 1773.

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Colonel Donald E. Phinney, Ret., Deputy Governor and Treasurer of the Hawaii Society of Mayflower Descendants and President of the Thomas Rogers Society, Inc., died suddenly at his home in Honolulu, Thursday, June 20, 1985. Donations to the Thomas Rogers Society Scholarship Program, in memory of Col. Phinney, may be sent to Mr. Stephen Bryant, Treasurer, Thomas Rogers Society, 125 Concord Rd., Wayland, MA 01778. The Rev. Robert G. Carroon has been named the new President of the Society.

Three descendants of Thomas Rogers were awarded college scholarships in 1985. Inquiries about membership in the Thomas Rogers Society, or to obtain scholarship applications for 1986-87, should be sent to Mrs. George C. Frederick, Secretary, 1208 Maple Ave., Evanston, IL 60202.

THE FAMILY OF JABEZ AND RENEW (CARPENTER) ROUND, A JOHN BILLINGTON LINE

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Sometimes even items written in original town vital records need correction or clarification. Such is the case concerning two Billington descendants, sons of Jabez[3] Round (John[2], John[1]) and his wife, Renew Carpenter[5] (Desire Martin[4], Mercy[3] Billington, Francis[2], John[1]). The original records of Rehoboth, Massachusetts contain the birth entries for their two sons as follows: Isaac, b. 23 Jan. 1733/4 and Jabez, b. 8 Jan. 1745/6, indicating that the births took place in the neighboring town of Swansea, Mass.[1] Note that Isaac and Jabez Round are in the fourth generation from John Round, as well as the sixth generation from *Mayflower* passenger John Billington.

When James N. Arnold prepared his published version of the Rehoboth vital records, these boys, Isaac[4] and Jabez[4] Round, were listed as the first two of the eleven recorded births of the children of Jabez Round and his wife, Renew.[2] The dates given by Arnold were exactly as given above. Births of the third through eleventh children ranged from 1737 to 1755. As a result, many researchers have assumed that Arnold made an error in transcribing the birth of Jabez[4] Round as 1745/6, when it should have been 1735/6.

However, an examination of the original pages of Rehoboth records demonstrated that Arnold accurately transcribed these dates as they were written. In September of 1982, Rosemary Rounds Kaufman, a descendant of Jabez[3] Round, visited the Office of the Rehoboth Town Clerk for the specific purpose of examining birth, marriage and death entries for the Round(s) family in the original records. She transmitted a summary of her findings to this compiler in personal correspondence. Mrs. Kaufman discovered, among other things, that all of the Round birth entries on the page in question were in faded brown ink, except the entries for Isaac[4] and Jabez[4] Round, which were obvious insertions in a later hand, in black ink. The information for Isaac[4] and Jabez[4] was much clearer and easier to read than was that for their brothers and sisters. In both cases, in black ink, it was noted that Isaac[4] and Jabez[4] were born in Swansea. Births of the others, recorded in what is now brown ink, took place in Rehoboth.

A study of probate and land records, together with some educated imagination, enables us to establish a clarification and correction of the birth records for Isaac[4] and Jabez[4]. Their father, Jabez[3] Round, not a *Mayflower* descendant, was born at Swansea on 28 Sept. 1708, son of John[2] and Abigail (----) Round.[3] On 26 Apr. 1733, Jabez[3] Round was married at Rehoboth, by the Rev. John Comer, to Renew Carpenter[5], born at Rehoboth, 6 June 1714,[4] the daughter of Jotham Carpenter and Desire Martin[4] (Mercy[3] Billington, Francis[2], John[1]).[5] Jabez and Renew (Carpenter) Round lived in Swansea for awhile, although none of their children's births were recorded there. Deeds dated 24 May 1731, 29 June 1734 and 10 May 1737, all called Jabez[3] Round "of Swanzey."[6] A deed of 4 Nov. 1737, as well as all subsequent deeds, called him "of Rehoboth."[7] The birth of their third child, Isabel[4], was recorded at Rehoboth as having occurred on 23 Oct. 1737.[8]

Thus, it is apparent that Jabez and his wife, Renew, were living in Swansea at least until 10 May 1737. After 23 Oct. 1737, they were residing in Rehoboth. The move from Swansea to Rehoboth must have occurred some time between these two dates. It can be expected, then, that any of their children born prior to the birth of Isabel in 1737 would have been born in Swansea. This would explain why the above entries inserted in Rehoboth records for the births of Isaac[4] and Jabez[4] indicate them as having taken place in Swansea.

In his will, dated 31 May 1784, Jabez Round of Rehoboth referred to "my Eldest Son Isaac Round."[9] The next son mentioned, in order, was Jabez, "whome I make and ordaine one of my Executors."

We are left, then with the final discrepancy of an apparent ten year error in recording the year of birth of son Jabez as 1745/6 instead of 1735/6. If he were born while the family was living in Swansea, it had to be close to a year before the birth of his sister, Isabel, on 23 Oct. 1737. Also, since Jabez was married at Rehoboth, 6 Mar. 1760,[10] he certainly could not have been born in 1745/6. Thus, it seems quite certain, from all the evidence, that there was a ten-year error, and that son Jabez Round was really born in Swansea on 8 Jan. *1735/6*, the second known child of Jabez and Renew (Carpenter) Round.

One can almost imagine that a descendant, perhaps, was later reviewing the Rehoboth birth records of the children of Jabez and Renew Round. Noting the nine children recorded as born there from 1737 on, he or she may have mentioned to the Clerk that Jabez and Renew had also had two earlier children, born at Swansea but not recorded there. He or she may then have given the birthdates of Isaac and Jabez to the Clerk who made

these later insertions into the original records, but made a ten-year error in recording the date for Jabez.

In summary, there were eleven known children of Jabez Round and his wife, Renew Carpenter[5] (Desire Martin[4], Mercy[3] Billington, Francis[2], John[1]), all descendants of Mayflower passenger John Billington, first two born at Swansea, last nine born at Rehoboth where they were all recorded:[11]

i. ISAAC ROUND[6], b. 23 Jan. 1733/4.
ii. JABEZ ROUND, b. 8 Jan. 1735/6.
iii. ISABEL ROUND, b. 23 Oct. 1737.
iv. ABIGAIL ROUND, b. (--) Jan. 1740.
v. ISAIAH ROUND, b. 30 Jan. 1741.
vi. REBECKAH ROUND, b. 21 Mar. 1742.
vii. SYBEL ROUND, b. 10 Sept. 1744.
viii. OLIVER ROUND, b. 1 Apr. 1747.
ix. RHODA ROUND, b. 26 Jan. 1750.
x. ESTHER ROUND, b. 8 Oct. 1752.
xi. SIMEON ROUND, b. 4 Feb. 1755.

A detailed study of their Billington ancestry will be found in a forthcoming genealogy of the descendants of John Billington, researched by Harriet Woodbury Hodge, C.G., as part of the Mayflower Families Five Generations Project.

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H. L. Peter Rounds, C.G., is certified as a genealogist by the Board for Certification of Genealogists, Washington, D.C. A descendant of John Howland, Mr. Rounds researched and compiled The John Round Family of Swansea and Rehoboth, Massachusetts, *which, in September 1985, was awarded the 1984 Jacobus Award by the American Society of Genealogists for excellence in genealogical writing. His many published articles include, "Lists of Baptists in Rehoboth, Massachusetts in the 1700s"* [New England Historical and Genealogical Register (Jan. 1984) 138:24-31]; *"Bristol County, Mass., Probate Records, 1735-1772,"* [National Genealogical Society Quarterly (Mar. 1985) 73:23-43]; *and "There Were Three Hezekiah's, Not One, in the*

*Round Family," [*Mayflower Quarterly *(Nov. 1984) 50:180]. The New England Historic Genealogical Society will soon publish his 600 page transcription of* Swansea, Mass., Vital Records. *He is currently abstracting Bristol County, Massachusetts Probate Records and has completed them through Vol. 9 (1737-1740). Mr. Rounds is serving as a valued researcher for the John Howland Family of the Five Generations Project and has solved many difficult genealogical problems in the Stonington, Conn., and Westerly, Rhode Island areas. He teaches at the California School for the Deaf at Riverside, Calif. His address is 955 Via Zapata #6, Riverside, CA 92507.*

CAPTAIN MYLES STANDISH ARTICLE PUBLISHED

Mr. Walter H. McIntosh has called our attention to an excellent article by John S. Erwin, "Captain Myles Standish's Role at Plymouth," which appeared in the January, 1985 issue of the *Historical Journal of Massachusetts*. Members interested in the colorful career of Capt. Myles Standish will want to obtain copies of this issue through the interlibrary loan system of their local library or from their local book store. Further information may be obtained directly from Mr. McIntosh, whose address is Olde Salem Village, 92 Village Post Rd., Danvers, Mass. 01923.

CORRECTIONS

Mayflower Quarterly (Aug. 1985) 51:142-147 "New Mayflower Society Insignia Price List." The "Gold Filled" column inadvertently shifted into either the "Sterling Silver" or the "14K Gold" column. The correct listings should be, for Gold Filled insignia:

p. 142	Item #1	Emblem and ribbon	$28.70
p. 143	Item #2	State officer's bar	12.15
	Item #3	Ancestral bar	14.95
p. 146	Item #11	Medallions for Deputy .... Gov. Gen., etc.	88.85
p. 147	Item #12	Medallions for Past ..... or Present Heads of Colonies, etc.	100.85

Please order all insignia through your State Secretary.

BOOK REVIEWS

Old Eliot: Book Two - 1901-1903. By John L. M. Willis. (Eliot, Maine, 1901 through 1903; repr. Somersworth 1985); 3 vols. in one; IV (1901) x, 200 pp.; V (1902) vi, 198 pp.; VI (1903) vi, 200 pp.; separate indexes for each vol.; hard cover; $55.00 plus $1.75 shipping, from New England History Press, P.O. Box 70, Somersworth, NH 03878.

This is the second of the three volumes that comprise the set of books in which are reprinted the sixty historical and genealogical magazines published in Eliot, Maine from 1897 to 1909. Among the more numerous families mentioned are Fernald, Frost, Goodwin, Hammond, Hanscom, Leighton, Libbey, Remick, Shapleigh and Staples. This series is important to readers with Maine ancestry.

Records of Meduncook Plantation and Friendship, Maine, 1762-1899. By Melville Bradford Cook. (Rockland, Maine 1985) xiv, 136 pp.; index; maps; appendix; hardcover; $25.00 plus $1.25 tax, $1.00 mailing; from Shore Village Historical Society, 104 Limerock Road, Rockland, Maine 04941.

Captain Cook transcribed and recorded a wealth of information concerning Friendship, Maine, including summaries of town meetings and records of births, marriages and deaths, some of which go back as far as 1751. It is interesting to note that the leading citizens during the Revolutionary War were Tories who allowed ships to leave port to carry illicit goods to and from British ships and ports. Among the more important families were the Bradfords, Cooks, Jamesons, Mortons, and Davises. This truly excellent book deserves to be widely read.

Bompass, Bumpas, Bump, Bumpus and Allied Families, 1621-1981. By Carle F. Bumpus. (Rev. ed.; Baltimore, 1985) x, 563 pp.; index; hard cover; $35.00 from Carle F. Bumpus, Sr., P.O. Box 2505, Grass Valley, Calif. 95945.

In this revised volume, Mr. Bumpus has gathered a great deal of additional material on the descendants of Edward Bumpus, the progenitor of a large Plymouth County family, who arrived in the *Fortune* in 1621. The descendants of each of Edward's twelve children are identified by the number of their ancestor's order of birth, set in a triangle. References for births, deaths and marriages are numbered throughout the volume, so the reader can see immediately where (and when) documentation has been found. This book can be extremely helpful to readers whose ancestors belong to this family.

STATE SOCIETY NEWS

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA SOCIETY Members gathered at the Jefferson Memorial in Washington, D.C., on the 242nd anniversary of the birth of Thomas Jefferson. Gov. Conrad P. Mook placed a wreath in honor of the occasion. The colors were presented by H. Eugene Bovis, the Society's Captain.

IOWA SOCIETY On May 4, 1985, members met at Coralville for their Spring Luncheon. The program, presented by Maureen Wilson and Calvin Ferris, was based on pictures and observations made while they attended the 1984 Triennial meeting in Plymouth last September. For the third time in as many years, the Society voted to send $250 to Plymouth for the Restoration Fund. There are 379 adult members and 384 Juniors.

New England Council of Governors On August 2, 1985, the night before the meeting of the Maine Society, the Council of Governors of the New England Mayflower Societies met in South Portland, Maine. Five Governors, with their spouses, were present, in addition to the Past Governor of Vermont, Miss Mary Thompson, Former Governor General E. Fred Low, Captain General Bob Stevens, Past Governors Catherine Winters of New Hampshire, Virginia Adamson, Eugene Smith and Horace Moody of Maine, and Governor General and Mrs. Bill Davis.

Front row, (l. to r.): Mary Thompson of Vermont; Bill Davis of Rhode Island; E. Fred Low of Maine. Back row, Gov. Donald Bryant of New Hampshire; Harry Walen of Massachusetts; Horace Moody of Maine; Bernice Rieg of Connecticut; Morton Saunders of Rhode Island; and Eben Elwell of Maine.

MINNESOTA SOCIETY The Society hosted a highly successful annual meeting of the General Board of Assistants in St. Paul, Sept. 6-8, 1985. The interesting tours were well-planned, with talented Minnesota members acting as tour guides on the buses. The trip out to the Minikahda Club for the Saturday night banquet was refreshing and beautiful. The members of the capable Arrangements Committee were W. Herbert Doty, Chairman, Robert B. Mirick, Richard L. Husband, Marjorie B. Doty, David S. Doty, Mary Doty and Donna Mirick. Many other members contributed to the success of the event.

Left (l. to r.): DGG W. Herbert Doty of Minnesota, Chairman for Arrangements, Gov. Robert B. Mirick of Minnesota, DGG Mrs. Ralph Pontius of Mississippi and DGG Kendall P. Hayward of Connecticut were among the members who toured the Alexander Ramsay House on Sunday afternoon.

Minnesota members at the Minikahda Club were, (l. to r.): Acting Captain General John Hauschild; Minnesota Pilgrim Newsletter *Editor John Webster; and James Hauschild. (Photo by Richard J. Damisch, Illinois.)*

Dorothy K. Sieplein, Ohio State Historian. (Photo by Elroy Sanford, Ohio.)

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Moschel of Illinois. Eileen is Education Chairman.

OHIO SOCIETY At the 87th State Assembly, held May 18, 1985 at Fremont, Ohio, Miss Dorothy K. Sieplein, Historian of the Ohio Society, was presented with the Historian's Mayflower insignia, in recognition of thirty-three consecutive years of unselfish service to the Society as State Historian.

San Antonio Colony - Texas Society The 54th Annual State meeting was held March 29-30, 1985, at the Menger Hotel. Colony members from Corpus Christi, Dallas, Ft. Worth and Houston were welcomed by Mrs. Edwin S. Harris, State Governor, and Charles H. Sowle, San Antonio Colony Governor. Mr. H. Leslie Evans, the surviving charter member, was also recognized. Mrs. Ann Fox, archaeological researcher, University of Texas at San Antonio, presented a lecture and slide show on the construction of the Alamo. The Alamo is across from the historic Menger Hotel where Teddy Roosevelt recruited his Rough Riders. Three scholarships were awarded to graduating high school seniors for their winning essays entitled "Contributions of the Mayflower Compact to America."

Washington State Society State Supreme Court Justice William C. Goodloe, Governor of the Society, and Mrs. Goodloe, hosted the July 18th picnic meeting at their Seattle home on Lake Washington. Ninety members were in attendance. Dr. and Mrs. Vance Senter presented bugle calls and other musical selections. Educational material was distributed by Mrs. Donald Dazey, Education Chairman, for presentation to schools prior to Compact Day.

Past Governor General Dwight E. Twist (left), with Governor General William N. Davis, at restored Fort Snelling, Minn., on Sunday morning, with the beautiful 24 star flag flying bravely in the strong breeze.

(L. to r.): Former Governor General Robert L. Thomas and Former Governor General E. Fred Low, anticipate the "Call to Order" for another of the many Board of Assistants meetings they have attended together. To the right of Fred Low are DGG Mrs. Vern Dale of Oregon, and AG Mrs. Warren J. Kelley of Colorado.

MINUTES OF THE GENERAL BOARD OF ASSISTANTS - 1985

abstracted by Mildred Ramos, Secretary General

The annual meeting of the General Board of Assistants of the General Society of Mayflower Descendants convened on Saturday, Sept. 7, 1985, in Conference Room One, Holiday Inn Town Square, St. Paul, Minnesota, at 8:30 a.m., Governor General William N. Davis presiding. There were sixty-nine members present, representing thirty-six State Societies.

The Military Police, Fort Snelling, Minnesota, presented the colors. Acting Elder General Mrs. Clifford H. Tornstrom (Minnesota) gave the invocation, and the Pledge of Allegiance was led by Acting Captain General John B. Hauschild (Minnesota). Colonel Frederick B. Wiener, Honorary Parliamentarian of the Arizona Society, served as Parliamentarian. Assistant Governor General Mrs. Frank W. Lanham read the call to order.

ROLL CALL

Secretary General Miss Mildred Ramos called the roll. Those present were:

General Officers:
Governor General William N. Davis
Assistant Governor General Mrs. Frank W. Lanham
Secretary General Miss Mildred Ramos
Treasurer General Lt. Col. Kendrick Holle, USA Ret.
Historian General Mrs. Clayton M. Merrick, Jr.
Acting Elder General Mrs. Clifford H. Tornstrom
Acting Captain General John B. Hauschild
Surgeon General Dr. Ben B. Johnson
Counsellor General Hewitt A. Conway

Executive Committee Members-at-Large:
Dr. Dixon A. Barr
John C. Miller
Noel S. O'Reilly

Former Governors General:
Dr. Lee D. van Antwerp
Dr. Robert L. Thomas
E. Frederick Low
Dr. Dwight E. Twist

Deputy Governors General and Assistants General:
Arizona DGG Mrs. Frederick B. Wiener
AG Dr. Eugene Cottle
California DGG Thomas W. Cooper
AG Allen O. Cooper
Canada AG Marshall M. Dean
Colorado DGG (Nominee) Mrs. Wesley M. Shaw
AG Mrs. Warren J. Kelley
Connecticut Acting DGG Kendall P. Hayward
AG (Nominee) Mrs. Robert J. Galwey
Delaware AG William H. Waite
District of Columbia AG Hal C. Pattison
Florida DGG (Nominee) Willard I. Staples, Jr.
AG Mrs. Frank W. Lanham
Georgia DGG Alva Ray Hendershot
Illinois Acting DGG Richard J. Damisch
Acting AG Mrs. Ronald L. Moschel
Indiana DGG William G. Batchelder
AG Wilber Eno
Kansas DGG (Nominee) Mrs. Harold F. Leavitt
AG (Nominee) Mrs. Prince E. McGuyre

Kentucky AG Dr. Dixon A. Barr
Louisiana DGG Dr. Bruce B. Butler
Massachusetts AG (Nominee) Harry L. Walen
Michigan Acting DGG Mrs. Arthur C. Kesteloot
AG Mrs. John Beebe
Minnesota DGG W. Herbert Doty
AG Mrs. Clelland A. Gibson
Mississippi DGG (Nominee) Mrs. Ralph Pontius
Acting AG Dr. Ben B. Johnson
Nebraska AG Mrs. Hubert H. Peters
New York AG Miss Adelaide P. Farah
North Carolina DGG John Williamson
AG Charles H. Yarborough, Jr.
North Dakota DGG Mrs. Alvin H. Rogers
Acting AG Dr. John R. Baird
Ohio DGG Mrs. James G. Carter
AG Miss Winifred H. Schamp
Oregon DGG Mrs. Verne W. Dale
Pennsylvania DGG Winfield S. Weer
AG Mrs. Robert B. Little
Rhode Island DGG Harold J. Hubbard
AG Morton W. Saunders
South Carolina DGG (Nominee) Victor I. Montenyohl, Jr.
South Dakota Acting DGG Mrs. L. J. Armentrout
Acting AG Mrs. James H. Ludington
Tennessee DGG Judge Ellis K. Meacham
AG (Nominee) Mrs. Stuart W. Gill
Texas DGG Lawrence K. Casey
AG Mrs. George W. Faison
Vermont AG Miss Mary E. Thompson
Virginia DGG Mrs. Arthur H. Vollertsen
AG Kenneth McRae Lemley
Washington DGG George C. Shephard
AG Mrs. Donald A. Dazey
Wisconsin DGG Mrs. Luther D. Swanstrom
AG Mrs. Edwin Davis

It was moved by AG William H. Waite (Delaware), and seconded, to seat the substitutes for this meeting. Motion carried.

OFFICERS ELECTED

Assistant Governor General Mrs. Lanham read the following list of nominations for the offices of Deputy Governor General and Assistant General for the period September 1985 to September 1987:
Alaska Assistant General Mrs. Ferdinand Chiei, Jr.
Connecticut Assistant General Mrs. Robert J. Galwey
Florida Deputy Governor General Willard I. Staples, Jr.
Hawaii Deputy Governor General Mrs. Edward J. Coleman
Assistant General Mrs. Ramon E. Maddox
Kansas Deputy Governor General Mrs. Harold F. Leavitt
Assistant General Mrs. Prince E. McGuyre
Massachusetts Deputy Governor General John W. Frenning
Assistant General Harry L. Walen
Mississippi Deputy Governor General Mrs. Ralph Pontius
Assistant General Mrs. Andrew G. Smith
South Carolina Deputy Governor General Victor I. Montenyohl, Jr.
Tennessee Assistant General Mrs. Stuart W. Gill

It was moved by DGG Dr. Bruce B. Butler (Louisiana), and seconded, to elect the nominees. Motion carried.

It was moved by DGG W. Herbert Doty (Minnesota), and seconded, to omit the reading of the minutes of the 1984 Board of Assistants meeting. Motion carried.

NECROLOGY REPORT OF OFFICERS

A moment of silence was observed, following the reading of this list of deceased officers by Acting Elder General Mrs. Tornstrom:

Robert M. Sherman, F.A.S.G., Former Chairman of the Five Generations Project and Editor of *Mayflower Families Through Five Generations, Vol. Two*; Former Deputy Governor General and Former Assistant General, and a Past Treasurer, Deputy Governor and Governor of the Rhode Island Society.

Mrs. Doris (DeWolf) Hellyar, Assistant General and Governor, and a Past Assistant Historian, Corresponding Secretary and Deputy Governor of the Connecticut Society.

Mrs. Roy (Standish) Bjork, Past Deputy Governor, Elder, Captain and Treasurer of the Montana Society.

Karl Satterly Field, Past Governor of the Vermont Society.

Mrs. Merle (Kessler) Arriola, organizing Colony Governor of the Golden Empire Colony, Past Secretary, Registrar and a three-term Colony Governor, California Society.

John D. Beals, Jr., Past Secretary, Deputy Governor and Governor of the New York Society.

Mrs. Dorothy (Barner) Pringle, Past State Secretary and Past Colony Corresponding Secretary, San Francisco Colony, California Society.

Glenn Byron Closson, Jr., Governor and Past Deputy Governor of the Kansas Society.

Meredith B. Colket, Jr., F.A.S.G., Deputy Lt. Governor of the Cleveland Colony, Ohio Society, and Past Governor of the District of Columbia Society.

Arthur R. Hinkley, Deputy Governor General and Past Governor of the Florida Society, and Lt. Governor of the Bradford Colony.

The Honorable Samuel James Ervin, Jr., United States Senator from the State of North Carolina and Past Governor of the North Carolina Society.

Mrs. Maude (Stanley) Peteet, Past Governor of the Georgia Society.

Bertram Lippincott, Past Governor of the Pennsylvania Society.

George Grant Schempp II, Past Secretary and Treasurer of the North Dakota Society.

Walter Southgate Brewster, Deputy Governor General and Former Assistant General of the Mississippi Society.

Retired Captain Charles Norman Barnum, Former Deputy Governor General and Past Governor of the South Carolina Society.

Mrs. Amy Grace (Fuller) Knowles, Historian Emeritus and Past Historian of the Virginia Society.

Dr. Charles Burton, Deputy Governor, South, of the California Society.

Mrs. Sarah Angelia (Loffler) (Black) Rataichak, Organizing Governor of the South Dakota Society, Former Deputy Governor General and Past State Historian.

Frank Harold Bunce, Former Assistant General, Past Governor and Deputy Governor of the Kentucky Society.

COMMUNICATIONS

Governor General Davis reported that Lt. Comdr. Kenneth R. Whittemore, Jr., our Elder General, now on duty in Guam, called and wished us a most successful meeting.

Mr. Robert L. Stevens, our Captain General, called advising that, due to unforseen circumstances, he would be unable to attend this meeting.

REPORT OF THE GOVERNOR GENERAL

During this first year, Dorothy and I have received very warm, gracious welcomes from our Mayflower "Cousins" who extended the hospitality of their State Societies in Connecticut, Kentucky, Arizona, Indiana and Maine. We are scheduled to visit in New Mexico, Oklahoma, Wisconsin and Illinois this fall. It was also our pleasure to represent the General Society at other hereditary and patriotic meetings.

The Mayflower Society Museum, the lovely mansion to which we point with pride as a symbol of our Mayflower Heritage, is maintained by the Mayflower Society House Endowment Fund established in 1947. Although the General Fund has been tapped for some upkeep, in less than forty years, by generous gifts and bequests to this fund from individuals and State Societies, we are closing the gap between income and maintenance costs. Please take the message back to your State Society that one of our goals is to have the Mayflower Society Museum self-supporting. Gifts and bequests, no matter how small, will be greatly appreciated.

It has been five years since we published *Volume Three, Mayflower Families Through Five Generations - George Soule*, and it is hoped that the Brewster Family will be ready by the end of this year. Assistant Governor General Mrs. Lanham, as Director of the Five Generations Project, is making every effort to expedite the completion of *all* Mayflower Family research with the highest degree of accuracy. Each of the very dedicated group of Officers elected in September is carrying out his or her duties with "a passion for excellence." Enough cannot be said in praise of the Chairmen and their committees for their unswerving devotion to their particular assignments. Their accomplishments and future plans will be included in their reports.

The Officers and Chairmen have been most cooperative and diligent in keeping me informed on a continuing basis, and for this I am truly grateful.

William N. Davis, *Governor General*

REPORT OF THE ASSISTANT GOVERNOR GENERAL

My project, of course, is the Five Generations Project, about which you will hear later, and in the meantime, I support our Governor General in all his efforts.

Mrs. Frank W. Lanham, *Assistant Governor General*

REPORT OF THE SECRETARY GENERAL

Following the 1984 Congress an abstract of the transcript of the proceedings of the General Congress was prepared and published in the November 1984 issue of the *Mayflower Quarterly*. The revised form, "Report to the Office of the Historian General," which was distributed last year, is being used by the majority of State Secretaries. This one-time reporting for change of names, transfers, deaths, resignations, and dropped members, eliminates many duplications. There were 2,449 changes of address, 865 deletions, and 1,020 names added to the mailing list this past year. "Annual Report" forms were mailed timely to State Secretaries, a "Directory of Officers" was compiled and published in the *Mayflower Quarterly*, and membership figures updated for the "Disposition of Lineage Papers Report."

On invitation, I addressed the North Carolina Society and visited the Maryland Society.

It has been a special pleasure working with Deputy Governor General W. Herbert Doty and Mrs. Doty on the details for this meeting and week-end activities.

Miss Mildred Ramos, *Secretary General*

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE ACTIONS

The Executive Committee consists of the Governor General, Assistant Governor General, Secretary General, Treasurer General, Historian General, Counsellor General, and the three Members-at-Large.

On Sept. 13, 1984, the Committee met and voted the following:

1. That the signatures of the Treasurer General and the Secretary General appear as the authorized signatures on the bank account.
2. That the signatures of the Governor General and the Historian General appear as the authorized signatures on the Safe Deposit Box.
3. That the Treasurer General be authorized to purchase a computer, printer and supplies, committing the Society to $3,000.

4. That the gift of Stock in the amount of $10,000 by Mrs. John Orndorff be put into the Mayflower House account.

A ballot dated Oct. 31, 1984 was circulated, and it was voted to offer a suspended status to the North Dakota Society of Mayflower Descendants for one year, in an effort to assist that Society.

The Committee met Mar. 30-31, 1985, and voted the following:

1. That we sell the *Mayflower Ancestral Index* at a special price of $25.00 to libraries, or to those persons wishing to donate the same to a library, with the Historian General to be responsible for direct mailing in the latter instance.
2. That we continue with Hoffman and Dykes as auditor for the next year, and that we request a review, rather than a full audit.
3. That the Treasurer General's bond remain at $25,000.
4. That the Treasurer General be authorized to get quotations on Officers and Directors' liability insurance, and to expend up to $1,000 per annum in its procurement.
5. That we contribute $150 to Friends of Progress. [This is towards the replacement of costumes for Pilgrim's Progress.]
6. To approve that the handling of the publications and microfiche of the General Society be centralized at Plymouth headquarters and at Mercury Mail in Rhode Island.
7. That the Genealogical Review Panel review the applications of the Koet sisters for interpretation and verification of their claim of descent from Moses Fletcher, and report their findings to the Historian General. Final confirmation will be subject to action by the General Board of Assistants.
8. That the Governor General, Secretary General, and Treasurer General be provided a monthly allowance in the amount of $110.00, as an advance against incidental expenses of their office.

The Committee met Sept. 6, 1985 and voted the following:

1. To accept the policy and procedure Governing Finance.
2. To approve the Governor General's appointments of the following:
   Acting Elder General Mrs. Clifford H. Tornstrom
   Acting Captain General John B. Hauschild
   Chairman of the Awards Committee - Former Governor General Dwight E. Twist
   Chairman of Publications, Five Generations Project - Morton W. Saunders
   Chairman of the Membership Committee - Miss Winifred H. Schamp
3. That the Historian General be authorized to develop and administer personnel and benefit policies for employees under his/her jurisdiction, within the limitations of the allowed budget, retroactive to July 1, 1985.
4. That the recommendation of the Financial Needs and Development Committee be submitted to the General Board of Assistants.
5. That the Historian General be authorized to receive lineage applications or supplementals using William Mullins and John Tilley as qualifying Ancestors for membership purposes, provided that such papers meet the genealogical standards of the General Society.

Miss Mildred Ramos, *Secretary General*

It was moved by Deputy Governor General John A. Williamson (North Carolina) and seconded, to ratify the actions of the Executive Committee. Motion carried.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER GENERAL

Following is a summary of the financial report given by the Treasurer General for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1985. This is in accordance with the resolution passed by the Executive Committee, and approved by the General Board of Assistants in September 1980. Each Deputy Governor General and Assistant General was given copies of the Balance Sheet and Income Statement for return to their

State Society. Each State Governor will receive a copy of the complete financial report. Members desiring more information may contact their Governor.

The primary income for the year was from State Society assessments of $130,000, which was a significant increase from previous years, as a result of the increased per capita assessment. The principal expenses for the year were for the *Mayflower Quarterly* of $40,700; the Office of the Historian General of $44,300; and the Mayflower House and Grounds operation and maintenance of $17,500. The Library Fund had a net increase of $2,000, the Publications Funds had a net increase of $8,000, and the Pilgrim Fund increased $20,000, principally from dividends and interest.

The Society's net assets of $363,000 are earmarked to specified funds of $269,000. The remaining $94,000 is in the General Fund balance, which showed an increase of $37,000 this year. Again, this increase is principally due to the increased per capita assessment.

Kendrick Holle, *Treasurer General*

A motion to accept the auditor's report for 1983-1984, which is on file, and to accept the auditor's report for 1984-1985, was made by Mrs. Ralph Pontius (Mississippi) and seconded. The motion carried.

REPORT OF THE HISTORIAN GENERAL

This past year our office staff has been expanded to include a permanent, part-time, genealogical researcher to assist with applications. This position has been capably filled by Mrs. Richard Peterson, a Massachusetts Society member. In the development and utilization of our computer program, we find that it promises to provide immediate information on documentation filed in support of lines of descent from our Mayflower ancestors. The library photocopy machine was replaced by a more versatile model. It will not only allow for less damage to our oversize books and bindings, but it will print on the reverse side of the paper. The old machine will be used for copying lineage papers and documentation.

Our major problem continues to be the condition in which applications to membership are submitted. The newly prepared information on "Preparation of Lineage Papers," setting forth the standards of documentation, was supplied to each State Historian to assist in their work. Those State Societies that have proceeded to supply their Historians with the suggested materials, and whose Historians have submitted applications accompanied with proper documentation, have met with success. Our goal is to bring lineage applications up to the standard where they will be approved on first review.

Mrs. Clayton M. Merrick, Jr., *Historian General*

REPORT OF THE SURGEON GENERAL

The Surgeon General has been consulted often enough to feel useful, but not so often as to feel overworked.

Ben B. Johnson, M.D., *Surgeon General*

REPORT OF THE CAPTAIN GENERAL

No report.

Robert L. Stevens, *Captain General*

REPORT OF THE ELDER GENERAL

No report.

Lt. Comdr. Kenneth R. Whittemore, Jr., *Elder General*

REPORT OF THE COUNSELLOR GENERAL

My report is, as usual, quite brief and happily, I have nothing unusual to report to you.

Hewitt A. Conway, *Counsellor General*

The meeting was recessed from 9:45 to 10:10 a.m.

REPORT OF THE AWARDS COMMITTEE

The committee has no recommendations to make for member or non-member awards but invites nominations from State Societies for consideration. The names of recipients of the Governor General's Awards were read as follows: Mr. Steven D. Fuller, Massachusetts Society; Mr. Bernie P. Robertson, Louisiana Society; Mrs. Verna Ross Orndorff, Illinois Society; Dorothy E. Hatch, Rhode Island Society; Mrs. Elden L. Howe, Florida Society; and Gladys M. Brown, Florida Society.

A brief summary of the present status of the General Society Awards was restated and a copy distributed to each member of the General Board. Members were invited to make suggestions of individuals to their State Society to recommend for such an award.

Dwight E. Twist, Former Governor General, *Chairman*

REPORT OF THE CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS COMMITTEE

No report.

Hewitt A. Conway, *Counsellor General*

REPORT OF THE EDUCATION COMMITTEE

During the past year the following Vice Chairmen have been appointed: Miss Mary Thompson of Vermont, Dr. Bruce B. Butler of Louisiana, and Mr. Kenneth V. Schar of Illinois. There have been 83,500 Large Compacts, 91,100 Small Compacts, 9,600 Teacher's Program Sheets, 13,000 "The First Thanksgiving," 12,500 "Five Kernels of Parched Corn," 3,900 "The Mayflower Story," and twenty-six parchment prints of the Mayflower Compact distributed to State Societies and individuals.

A sample of the educational materials was sent to each State Society Governor to aid State Committee work. Articles have been written for each issue of the *Mayflower Quarterly* with an emphasis on interesting projects of various State Societies.

A first edition of an *Education Committee Newsletter* was given to each member of the General Board. Plans are to publish it twice a year, and eventually, four times a year. Your help is needed by sending in news of special activities and of members who are doing outstanding work for the Committee and the Society.

In an effort to keep better control over orders and deliveries, a copy of the letter to the printer is being sent to the person placing the order. A self-addressed postcard is being included with orders, and I am requesting that it be returned when the order is filled.

A display of Educational Committee materials was set up in the back of the meeting room and members were urged to visit the display.

Mrs. Ronald L. Moschel, *Chairman*

REPORT OF THE ELECTRONIC DATA PROCESSING COMMITTEE

Ralph V. Wood, Jr., developed an adaptation of a data-base management program to meet the needs of the Historian General. He also adapted a keyboard enhancement program to make it easier for the Historian General's office to cope

with cross references. He then purchased copies of both programs which he intends to present to the Society, along with all of his developed adaptations, when a satisfactory arrangement for controlling its distribution has been made. This will protect the Society against any claims of our using illegal copies. Van has been truly generous to the Society.

We are now entering data to build our files. One Mayflower Family Society which has a computer similar to ours, will record their data and then present the Historian General with recorded discs of the data in payment for the use of the program. If other Mayflower Family Societies or State Societies happen to have IBM-PC-type computers and desire to use the Society's program, in exchange for furnishing the Historian General with copies, please let us know. Experience with computer software has revealed that its use probably should be restricted to experienced genealogists, since otherwise an unacceptable number of errors is introduced. Without help from State or Mayflower Family Societies, it will take several years to build the files.

By the time the file is complete, laser-read discs and associated equipment should be adaptable to our use at reasonable cost. For example, Grolier Academic American Encyclopedia plans to issue a single 4.72 inch disc that will be read by a laser (similar to compact-discs used for music) for about $200, compared to $450-$650 for book form. It is a gamble, but it is beginning to look much better.

Victor I. Montenyohl, Jr., *Chairman*

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

The Finance Committee consists of Executive Committee Member-at-Large John C. Miller, Executive Committee Member-at-Large Noel S. O'Reilly, and Treasurer General Kendrick Holle.

During the past year the committee has developed the policy and procedures governing finance and a proposed budget for the fiscal year 1986. A copy of the proposed budget was distributed to each member of the Board.

Kendrick Holle, Treasurer General, *Chairman*

Treasurer General Holle then moved the adoption of this 1986 budget plan. It was voted to approve.

REPORT OF THE FIVE GENERATIONS PROJECT

We now have made available an *Addendum to Mayflower Families One* and to *Mayflower Families Three*, and the new *Index to Mayflower Families One*. Three weeks ago, a draft of the *Addendum to Mayflower Families Two* was submitted by Mr. Robert C. Anderson, F.A.S.G., and will be printed as soon as it passes the Genealogical Review Panel. We now look forward to a new volume.

A team of genealogists, under the direction of Mrs. Clayton M. Merrick, Jr., Prime Researcher, has been diligently working to complete the *William Brewster Family* manuscript. It is being edited by Mrs. Henry G. R. White, F.A.S.G., and is presently undergoing critical review by members of the Genealogical Review Panel to assure that it is as correct as possible.

It is important to remember that these silver-covered volumes and addenda contain documented information that will be accepted by the Historian General on applications for membership in the Society. Further, references in most of the future volumes will be "pinpointed" so readers will know exactly which reference refers to which fact in the text. This will greatly facilitate documentation of lineages for both the State Historians and the Historian General.

Two new appointments have been made within the Project. Mr. Morton Saunders, Governor of the Rhode Island Society, accepted the position as Chairman of Project Publications, and Mr. Richard J. Damisch, Governor of the Illinois Society, accepted the appointment as Chairman of Project Advertising and Copyright. These gentlemen have shown expertise beyond expectations and we are fortunate to have the use of their talents.

It has become increasingly obvious that selecting *one* person to be responsible for each Mayflower Family was unwise, since, in most cases, this has placed a

tremendous burden on one set of shoulders. A major problem is that the Project, and the remaining work, is a hundred times larger than most of us realized. The very fact that only *one* volume was envisioned when this Project began, indicates that no one had the faintest notion of the scope of the Project, or any idea of the size of this huge genealogical tiger we now have by the tail.

We have discovered that, by using the teamwork of a few volunteer genealogists in different eastern areas, more progress could be made. The teamwork method is being used now, not only for the *Brewster Family*, but also for *Winslow, Priest, Cooke* and *Howland*, with *Standish, Hopkins* and *Doty* soon to join. However, we need more qualified workers who are willing to do meaningful research on a continuing basis. This presents difficulties, as nearly all professional genealogists will not volunteer for more than token work, and most of the non-professionals who do volunteer, are unqualified, or not physically able to do the sort of research necessary.

We need people who will locate Probate and Land Records, who can carefully and accurately read and abstract these records, and who have access to either the originals or microfilms of these records.

We need library work done, but these must be people who have access to a good genealogical library such as the Archives in the District of Columbia, New England Historic Genealogical Society in Boston, the Latter Day Saints Library in Salt Lake City, etc., and who know how to search and are willing to spend the time searching.

Computerizing manuscripts for processing, and developing teamwork methods, has been our most important accomplishment this year. This is an update on progress:

Alden - John and Priscilla had ten children, eight of whom married; family of one child, Joseph, pretty well completed and computerized; references being "pinpointed."
Allerton - is being computerized in family group sheet form which will be submitted for format computerization.
Billington - presently undergoing revision preparatory to GRP review.
Brewster - on the Teamwork plan and presently being reviewed by GRP; hopefully the next publication.
Brown - Prime Researcher has turned in all he has on five generations; it is computerized. As more information is located it will be forwarded for computer entry. [A copy has been sent to the Historian General for her use in approving applications.] Many Probate and Land Records needed.
Cooke - all five generations are computerized; first four generations in fair shape; many Probate and Land Records needed; fifth generation only in skeletal form; on Teamwork plan.
Doty - family sheets being photocopied and sent for computerization; will be Previewed and Teamwork will begin.
Edward Fuller - all five generations are computerized; being Previewed at this time.
Hopkins - first three generations computerized and submitted; generations four and five coming soon; Teamwork will begin very shortly.
Howland - Prime Researcher computerizing work, with the help of other genealogists; this is a large family; four volumes planned.
Priest - all five generations computerized; major work needed with Probate and Land Records; we are seeking genealogists to assist in certain areas on Teamwork plan.
Samson - the work of the late Robert Sherman is presently being reviewed and may be placed on the Teamwork plan, to be published with:
Standish - which will be computerized and placed on Teamwork plan as soon as possible.
Warren - Barlow references are bring checked and pinpointed. The unavailability of the Bartlett research strongly indicates beginning this portion of the Warren Family from scratch again; however, research is continuing.
Winslow - should be ready for GRP review now; will be published as soon as space permits.

We will undoubtedly have to begin expending funds for researchers, although it has been reserved as a "last resort." Hundreds of people have already volunteered thousands of hours to the Project for more than twenty-five years. How

can we justify the fact that we must now hire people to help us and pay them for doing so, and not make volunteer payment retroactive? If we do hire paid researchers, there will be strict controls, limiting help to *only* the Families that are very near completion.

A Project such as this one, which is largely dependent upon volunteer time and willingness of qualified people, can be a very discouraging undertaking. In the meantime, we will continue to inch our way along, doing the best that volunteers can do to help move the Families to completion. We need your support and prayers.

Mrs. Frank W. Lanham, Assistant Governor General, *Chairman*

Governor General Davis then presented a check to Mrs. Lanham on behalf of the Wyoming Society for the Five Generations Project.

REPORT OF THE GENEALOGICAL REVIEW PANEL

The Genealogical Review Panel assists the General Society through its Five Generations Project and the office of the Historian General in working toward the worthy goal of accuracy and acceptable documentation in all genealogical publications and applications.

Panels of experts are being assembled to review completed and "in progress" manuscripts for the families of Pilgrims William Brewster and Edward Winslow, and, in the near future, John Billington. Through meticulous review of both manuscripts and their accompanying documentation, we strive to solve our genealogical snags rather than permitting them to appear in print.

Addendum to *Mayflower Families Two* has been submitted by its compiler and is now ready for critical examination by reviewers prior to distribution to libraries and purchasers of this second published volume of our *Mayflower Families* series.

All of us are excited about the possibility of a twenty-sixth Mayflower Passenger in the person of Moses Fletcher. The Historian General has requested assistance of the GRP in verifying the applications and documentation from two citizens of the Netherlands who are applying for membership through the Florida Society. Questions regarding verification of Moses Fletcher as a newly approved passenger for membership purposes shall be resolved to accept membership on this line.

Some guidelines about the composition of the panel membership who will review the Moses Fletcher line follow. The three-member panel will (1) be comprised of genealogists who do *not* hold membership in our Society, and who thus have no vested interest in the outcome of this projected new lineage; (2) include at least one committee member who shall be thoroughly knowledgeable in Dutch language and documentation sources; and (3) insist that all documentation provided shall be primary in nature, supported by full legal copies, not abstracts thereof.

Dixon A. Barr, *Chairman*

REPORT OF THE HISTORICAL SITES COMMITTEE

The Committee continues to press for National Park status for the Plymouth Rock area. At the moment, the Federal Administration refuses to endorse any additions to Federal parks. However, should this position change, both of the Senators from Massachusetts and the Congressman from the district which includes Plymouth can be expected to endorse legislation to establish such a park.

Please have your local State Societies write to their Congressmen and Senators expressing interest. Thus, perhaps we will have a National Park at Plymouth Rock even before the next election.

W. Howard Mayo III, *Chairman*

Governor General Davis reported that Mrs. Robert B. Little, Assistant General of the Pennsylvania Society, and Mr. Richard Husband of the Minnesota Society, have accepted his invitation to serve on the Historical Sites Committee.

REPORT OF THE JUNIOR MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

This year I sent each Junior Membership Chairperson a suggested list of duties and procedures, a letter for the sponsor to be sent with the certificate, which suggested that the sponsor continue to make their Junior aware and proud of his Mayflower Heritage, with suggestions on how to do this, and another suggested letter to be sent to the Junior when he reached regular membership age.

To date we have forty-six State Societies that have Junior Members, with a total of 9,377 Junior Members. Junior Membership Certificates will be supplied to State Societies by me, upon request from the State Junior Membership Chairman.

Mrs. Edith Bates Thomas, *Chairman*

REPORT OF THE MAYFLOWER SOCIETY MUSEUM COMMITTEE

(This report was read by the Secretary General in the absence of the Chairman.)

During the past year, repair work on the garage roof was the only exterior maintenance needed at the Mayflower Society Museum complex. The burglar alarm system has once again been up-dated. Looking to the future, the brick wall and the driveway are both in need of repair. An Oriental rug, 12' x 21' is needed for the solarium in the Museum. It does not have to be a new rug; a good second quality rug would be acceptable.

The following artifacts have been accepted for the Museum: a six inch long bone handle two prong fork believed to have belonged to Pilgrim Richard Warren; an early clear glass Sparking Lamp; an oil painting of Betsey Avery, a direct descendant of Richard Warren; an antique brass Japanese candle lamp and a new custom made lamp shade. The two were given by the Georgia Society in memory of Mrs. Maude Peteet.

The Society's third cup plate, #407 - *English Royal Arms*, will be pictured on a mail order form in the November *Mayflower Quarterly*.

The number of visitors to the Museum has increased fifteen per cent over last year, group tours continue to be scheduled, and donations are received from various individuals using the facilities.

The second "Christmas-by-the-Sea" is going to be held on December 6, 7 and 8, 1985.

Mrs. Stuart T. Hall, *Chairman*

REPORT OF THE MEMBERSHIP COMMITTEE

New members appointed to the Membership Committee are Mrs. Henry A. Adamson, Assistant General, (Maine); Mr. Duane A. Cline, Secretary (Arkansas); Mr. Marshall M. Dean, Assistant General, (Canada); Mrs. Robert A. Dudley, Assistant General, (New Mexico); and Mr. Willard I. Staples, Jr., Governor (Florida).

In 1984, the General Society accepted 939 new members and lost 833 members. Therefore there was a net gain of 106 members.

The New Mexico Society qualified for first place with the highest net percentage increase of 8%; the Alaska Society was second with 7%; the Oregon Society was third with 4.8%; Arkansas, California and Utah Societies were tied for fourth place with 4% each. The Canadian Society had a 16% increase but no longer qualifies for an award as they have already won twice. The New Mexico Society will receive a membership certificate and the State Society name and date will be engraved on the silver bowl given by Former Governor General Greene.

The Florida Society qualified for first place with the largest net increase in new members with 28; the Canadian Society was second with 12; Illinois was third with 9; New Mexico and Wisconsin Societies were tied for fourth place with 8 each. Massachusetts and California Societies had the largest net increase of 73 and 70, respectively. However, neither is eligible as they both received the award twice. The Florida Society will receive a membership certificate and the State Society name and date will be engraved on the silver bowl given by Former Governor Joseph B. Latimer.

It is significant that, of the 52 State Societies, 29 had net increases; whereas 4 had no change, and 20 suffered net decreases. The overall net percentage increase was one-half of one percent.

The Committee will continue to focus on encouraging and helping all of the State Societies with ideas and suggestions toward increasing membership.

Miss Winifred H. Schamp, *Chairman*

REPORT OF THE PUBLICATIONS COMMITTEE - FIVE GENERATIONS PROJECT

This report covers the period, January 1, 1985 to September 1, 1985. The entire inventory of books was transferred to Mercury Mail in Pawtucket, R.I., except those in Plymouth. Governor General Davis, Deputy Governor General Harold Hubbard, State Treasurer Alden Fuller, all of the Rhode Island Society, and I, inventoried all of the material that had been shipped there, and we inventoried all of the material at Plymouth.

A running inventory has been established for all books. This is taken from the financial and shipping reports prepared by Fran Armstrong in Plymouth. The new *Index* to *Mayflower Families One*, which was prepared camera-ready, by Ruth Ann Sherman in memory of her daughter, Candy, is now in stock.

The per order cost has been reduced 50% by filling our orders and shipping once a month.

January thru' June, 1985	Sold	Balance on hand	Resale value
Mayflower Families One	90	774 @ $10.00	$ 7,740.00
Mayflower Families One, Addendum	316	436 @ 2.00	632.00
Mayflower Families One, Index	5	2,025 @ 3.00	6,075.00
Mayflower Families Two	87	187 @ 15.00	2,805.00
Mayflower Families Three	87	1,217 @ 18.00	21,906.00
Mayflower Families Three, Addendum	296	502 @ 2.00	1,007.00
Mayflower Descendants Microfiche (Bowman File)	3	45 @ 75.00	3,375.00
			$ 43,537.00
Mayflower Ancestral Index, Vol. I	63	7,802 @ 25.00	$195.050.00
			$238,587.00

Morton W. Saunders, *Chairman*

REPORT OF THE ADVERTISING AND COPYRIGHT COMMITTEE, FIVE GENERATIONS PROJECT

In addition to the *Mayflower Quarterly*, which is usually a one or two full page advertisement, we are presently buying advertising in five publications, the *DAR Magazine, SAR Magazine, Genealogical Helper, National Genealogical Society Quarterly*, and the *New England Historical and Genealogical Register*. The total investment and paid advertising is almost $1,748. In August, total sales amounted to approximately $1,300. However, we are unable to make a comparison as no previous years' records are available.

Richard J. Damisch, *Chairman*

REPORT OF THE EDITOR

The August 1985 issue of the *Mayflower Quarterly* was mailed to 22,329 readers, most of whom are members, an increase of 4,329 since I became editor in September 1978. Total production costs for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1985, amounted to $40,308.33. The cost per copy, delivered to your door, was less than

46¢ each. Due to increased postage and printing costs, expenses may rise during the coming year.

We have had State Society News, obituaries, gifts to the Society, Directory of Officers, both General and State, updated information about Mayflower Society insignia, announcements about Mayflower Society cup plates and about the series of *Mayflower Families* books, in addition to interesting and accurate genealogical and historical articles.

I type each page of the *Mayflower Quarterly*, wax the pages to "artboards," draw in the outlines for placing the pictures in the right places, and then send the camera-ready copy to the printing company. I use our own computer which my husband bought to make my work easier, and which saves the Society a great deal of money in printing costs. In response to inquiries, the actual time spent at the computer during the past fourteen months totaled 1,018 hours. I hope that you have enjoyed the results of my work.

Mrs. Henry G. R. White, *Editor*

Governor General Davis recognized Mrs. William T. Powell, a fifty-year member of the Society, who, after serving on the General Board for ten years, is attending this meeting as a Silent Observer.

A luncheon recess was taken, starting at 11:30 a.m. and ending at 1:39 p.m.

It was moved by Former Governor General Dr. Thomas (California), and seconded, that the Governor General be authorized to establish an Advertising and Copyright Committee within the Five Generations Project, and to confirm the following committee chairman appointments for the next year: Finance Committee Chairman, Treasurer General Kendrick Holle; and Project Advertising and Copyright Committee Chairman, Mr. Richard J. Damisch, Governor of the Illinois Society.

REPORT OF THE RESOLUTIONS COMMITTEE

The committee, consisting of Former Governor General Dr. Thomas and Counsellor General Conway, Chairman, presented two resolutions:

Whereas, Norman Joy Greene is the senior Former Governor General of the General Society of Mayflower Descendants, having served us as Governor General from 1966 to 1969; and

Whereas, Former Governor General Greene for many years prior to his service as Governor General and until now has given generously of his time, talents, and substance to the great betterment of the General Society of Mayflower Descendants; and

Whereas, Former Governor General Greene is presently confined to his home in Newtown Square, Pennsylvania, by an illness that makes it impossible for him to be with his Mayflower cousins at this meeting; and

Whereas, we miss Norman's wise counsel and his and Mrs. Greene's friendly conviviality at this meeting, the first General Board meeting the Greenes have missed in over thirty years;

Now, therefore, be it resolved by the General Board of Assistants at its meeting in St. Paul, Minnesota, on September 7, 1985:

That this Board extend to Former Governor General Greene this expression of the love, admiration and respect in which its members hold him, and

Be it further resolved that this resolution be spread upon the pages of the Mayflower Quarterly *and that it also be forwarded by the Secretary General to Former Governor General Norman Joy Greene and his wife, Marion.*

Counsellor General Conway moved the adoption of this resolution. Motion carried.

BE IT RESOLVED that the General Board of Assistants of the General Society of Mayflower Descendants hereby records its deep appreciation to the Society of Mayflower Descendants in the State of Minnesota for the gracious hospitality extended by it at this, the 1985 annual meeting of the General Board. The General Board wishes to thank particularly Governor Robert B. Mirick and the other officers of the Minnesota Society and the following members of the committee on arrangements, who have done such a thoughtful and thorough job of making our brief stay in St. Paul and Minneapolis informative, interesting and fun: Deputy Governor General W. Herbert Doty, Chairman, and Mrs. Doty, Governor and Mrs. Robert B. Mirick, Mr. and Mrs. David S. Doty, and Mr. Richard Husband.

Counsellor General Conway moved the adoption of this resolution. Motion carried.

Former Governor General Dr. van Antwerp (Illinois) informed members of the Board that he had talked with Former Governor General Greene on the telephone about three days ago and that he sent his very best regards to all of you here in St. Paul.

REPORT OF THE AD HOC COMMITTEE ON STANDARDS OF DOCUMENTATION

Mrs. Edie Bates Thomas, Historian, California Society, competently entered all data into the California Society's computer and produced the booklet, *Preparation of Lineage Papers*, approved by the Executive Committee, Sept. 7, 1984, and distributed it to each State Historian. The applications are now starting to reflect more standard preparation which will assist our computer data entry clerk with future references.

Having produced the required material, our present duties seem complete at this time.

Mrs. Clayton M. Merrick, Jr., Historian General, *Chairman*

REPORT OF THE FINANCIAL NEEDS AND FUND DEVELOPMENT COMMITTEE

As the income from the Mayflower House Endowment Fund is not sufficient to pay for the operation and maintenance costs of the House, the need to increase our endowment still exists. At present, your dues assessment is used to cover this shortage.

Under our plan, a minimum of $300,000 of increased endowment will be needed. Gifts are still tax deductible under Section 501 (C) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code and the goal is less than $15 per member.

Noel S. O'Reilly, Executive Committee Member-at-Large, *Chairman*

Mr. O'Reilly moved that the General Society of Mayflower Descendants undertake a fund raising campaign to increase the Mayflower Society House Endowment Fund. The motion carried.

Governor General Davis advised that all reports would be placed on file.

Mr. Morton W. Saunders, Governor of the Rhode Island Society and Chairman on Arrangements for the 1986 meeting of the General Board of Assistants, announced tentative plans for this meeting, which will be headquartered at the Sheraton-Islander, Goat Island, Newport, Rhode Island, September 5-7, 1986.

Governor General Davis declared the meeting adjourned at 2:25 p.m.

Miss Mildred Ramos, *Secretary General*

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In The Name Of God, Amen. We whose names are underwritten, the loyal subjects of our dread sovereign Lord King James, by the Grace of God, of Great Britain, France and Ireland King, Defender of the Faith, &c.

Having undertaken for the Glory of God, and advancement of the Christian faith, and honor of our King and Country, a voyage to plant the first colony in the northern parts of Virginia, do by these presents solemnly and mutually in the presence of God and one of another, Covenant and Combine ourselves together into a civil body politic, for our better ordering and preservation, and furtherance of ends aforesaid; and by virtue hereof to enact, constitute and frame such just and equal laws, ordinances, acts, constitutions, and offices from time to time, as shall be thought most meet and convenient for the general good of the Colony; unto which we promise all due submission and obedience.

In Witness Whereof we have here-under subscribed our names at Cape Cod 11 of November, in the year of the reign of our sovereign Lord King James, of England, France and Ireland 18, and of Scotland 54. Anno Domini 1620.

Written and signed in the Cabin of the *Mayflower,* on Cape Cod, Nov. 21, 1620 (Nov. 11, Old Style), as recorded by Governor William Bradford in his *History of Plimoth Plantation.*

Elizabeth Tilley's Grave Is Located in Rhode Island

By Clinton W. Sellew

Tucked away in an ancient cemetery steeped in Indian and Pilgrim lore is the grave of Elizabeth Tilley Howland.

The widow of John Howland of the Mayflower died in 1687 at the home of her daughter Lydia Brown and was buried in Little Neck Cemetery in the Riverside section of East Providence, R.I. A few members of the Pilgrim John Howland Society visit her grave each year and those from the Providence area often place flowers there. Many other descendants would stop at the grave if they knew how to find it. (For directions see map on Page 7.)

The approach to this burial ground created in the mid-seventeenth century is made by way of Turner Avenue in Riverside to Read Street, thence on that street to Cozzens Avenue and east through the cemetery gate, where a sign denotes Rhode Island Historical Cemetery No. 5.

Passing through Little Neck Gardens and through the new part of Little Neck Cemetery one comes to North Avenue. The tract lying to the south of North Avenue is Ancient Little Neck Cemetery.

When the Wampanoag Indians roamed this territory which they called Wannamoisett, a point of land jutted out into a cove of Narragansett Bay, and on either side of this point, small streams emptied into the tidal waters. The brook emptying into the cove on the west side of the point was named "Moskituash" and is mentioned in the Sowams Deed of 1653. It has its source in springs about 60 rods east of Sowams Tablet on Pawtucket Avenue and flows through the property of Socony-Mobil Oil Company through the skating pond, across Willett Avenue, Burnside Avenue, Turner Avenue and Fenner Avenue into what is now called Bullock's Cove.

The brook emptying into the cove on the east side of the point, is shown on some early maps as "Viall Brook," presumably because it flowed through the property of the Viall family. It is now obscure until it emerges south of Willett Avenue, discernible as a ditch. This stream had its source in the swampland north and east of what is now known as Meadowcrest. Alluvial deposits and erosion over hundreds of years have so filled the basin on the east side of the point, that a shore line is hardly perceptible except at extremely high water, and the word neck becomes a mere cognomen.

It is recorded in the Plymouth Towne book bearing the date of the 29th, 10th month 1645 that John Brown, as assistant of the Plymouth Colony purchased from Massasoit a tract of land called "Wannamoisett" for a price of 15 pounds. A grant of this property was later issued by the colony to John Brown. This point of land referred to above, therefore became a part of the farm Mr. Brown had set aside for his home, from the tract he had purchased, and it later came to be known as "Little Neck."

What circumstances prompted John Brown to search out a suitable spot for use as a burial ground is purely speculative. Whether it was because of his advancing years and his known discernment of the affairs of life, or whether the unexpected death of a family member precipitated the action is difficult to establish. Whatever the motive, he did select this sandy point of land on his farm as a most suitable place for a burial ground.

Brown being a man of means and acumen, generously and wisely deeded this plot of land, it is said, to the town of Rehoboth that it might become a town burial ground and thereby proper

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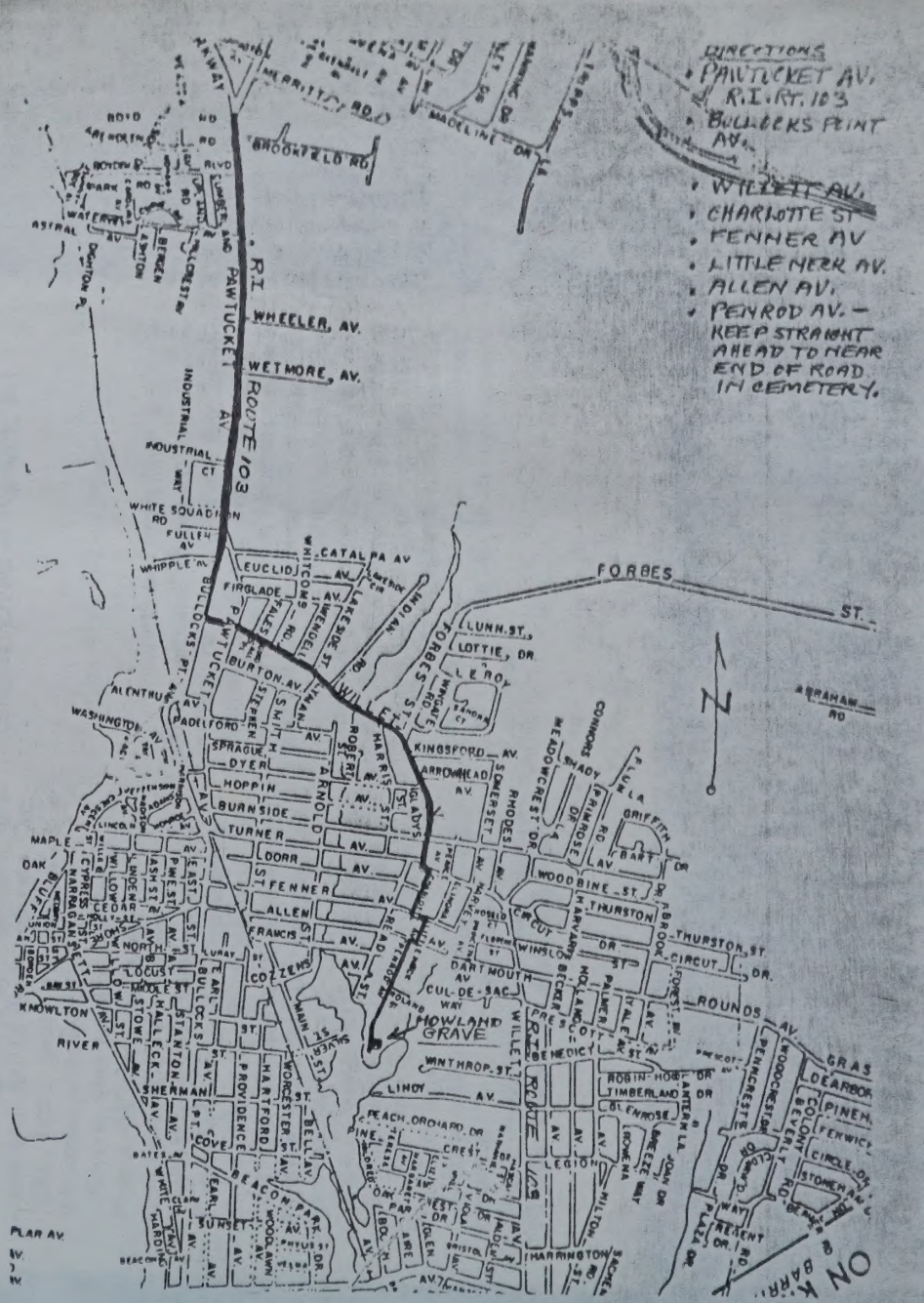

Map shows route to cemetery where Elizabeth Tilley Howland is buried.

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Grave –

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records of deaths and burials might be preserved.

With the change of boundaries in 1862 this cemetery on Little Neck came into the possession of the town of East Providence.

A few years after the death of her husband John, Mrs. Howland went to Wannamoisett to live with her daughter Lydia, wife of James Brown. She died at the home of her daughter in December of 1687 and because of the distance from Plymouth, the burial place of her husband, the time of year and the inadequate transportation facilities, her body was laid to rest in the Little Neck Cemetery among members of the Brown family.

The gravestone, dedicated on Aug. 27, 1949, reads:

"Here ended the Pilgrimage of Elizabeth Tilley Howland who died Wednesday 21-31 Dec. 1687 at home of her daughter Lydia & her husband James Brown in Swansea. Elizabeth married Pilgrim John Howland who came with her in the Mayflower Dec. 1620. From them are descended a numerous posterity."

Several other notable members of the Plymouth Colony are buried in this ancient cemetery. Two of these are:

• John Brown, assistant governor of the Plymouth Colony, 1636; representative of the colony for 12 years in a confederacy of Massachusetts, Connecticut and New Haven colonies; captain of the Swansea militia.

• Capt. Thomas Willett, successor to Myles Standish; assistant governor of the Plymouth Colony; first mayor of New York City.

It is interesting to note that the oldest gravestone in the cemetery is that of Mary (Brown) Willett, wife of Captain Thomas. It bears the death date 1669.

Howland Becomes A Popular Name

As might be expected, the name Howland is popular among members of the Pilgrim John Howland Society.

Twenty-three members have Howland as a last name and 14 others – including three women – have Howland as either a first or middle name. Among these are:

John Howland Allen of Barre, Mass.; Howland Atwood of Brunswick, Maine; John Howland Barber of Cambridge, Md.; Edward Howland Berry III of Bothell, Wash.; Edward Howland Berry IV of Bothell, Wash.; Trent Howland Jones of Marblehead, Mass.; Howland B. Jones III of Marblehead, Mass.; Howland B. Jones Jr. of Harwich Point, Mass.; Drew Howland Taft of Atkinson, N.H.; John Howland Taft of Atkinson, N.H.; and Howland G. Taft of Jaffrey, N.H.

Among the lady Howlands are Miss Howland M. Mansfield of Mt. Pleasant, S.C.; Miss Katherine Howland Miller of Youngstown, Ohio, and Miss Martha Howland O'Neil of Warwick, R.I.

From the Governor –

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til he attained above 80 years in the world. He was one of the first comers into this land, and proved a useful instrument of good in his place, and was the last man that was left of those that came over in the ship called the May Flower, that lived in Plymouth; he was with honor interred at the town of Plymouth on the 25 of February, 1672."

Well, our friend will have a great experience, and M-G-M undoubtedly could "care less" about the opportunity it missed!

THE ENGLISH ANCESTRY AND HOMES OF THE PILGRIM FATHERS

WHO CAME TO PLYMOUTH ON THE "MAYFLOWER" IN 1620, THE "FORTUNE" IN 1621, AND THE "ANNE" AND THE "LITTLE JAMES" IN 1623

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"They knew they were Pilgrimes"
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JOHN HOWLAND

JOHN HOWLAND, who was born about 1594, came as a servant of John Carver, but as there is no record of his residence in Leyden he is credited to London for the reason that Carver was in England for some considerable time before the sailing of the *Mayflower* and undoubtedly obtained the services of Howland in that city prior to the departure from England. The Howland ancestry is probably of Essex origin. The will of Humphrey Howland, citizen and draper of St. Swithin's, London, in 1646, mentions his brothers, John and Arthur, which are known Christian names of this family in New England, at the date of the will. There was a John Howland taxed at Canfield Parva, Essex, 1623, and the name also occurs earlier at Newport Pagnall in the same county. In London a John Howland was living in the parish of St. Mary, Whitechapel, in 1596, and in 1600 another John belonged to the parish of St. Botolph, Billingsgate. Jeffrey Howland was taxed in 1625 in the parish of St. Botolph, Aldgate. These parishes are all close to or part of the Pilgrim quarter of London.

JOHN TILLEY

JOHN TILLEY has been identified as an older brother of the preceding Edward as baptized, 24 February, 1571, and perhaps the son of Lawrence and Bridget Tilley of Shipton, co. Salop, and the same remarks apply to him as to the correctness of this conclusion. Both John and his wife died in the first winter in the "general sickness" leaving but one known child, Elizabeth, who married John Howland. The compiler found a marriage of a John Tilley to Elizabeth Comyngs, 2 February, 1605, in the parish of St. Andrew Undershaft, where an Allerton family resided, and close to the Pilgrim center there. As Elizabeth, daughter of the Pilgrim, was born in 1607 this record may be the marriage of the *Mayflower* passengers.

The compiler is obliged to reject the identification of these two brothers announced a quarter of a century ago (*N. Y. Gen. & Biog. Rec. XXXV, 213 291*) by a writer who adopted the Shipton record as evidence satisfactory to himself. A Chancery deposition, found by the compiler, in the Public Record Office, N. 7/14, was made by John Tylly of Shipton, Salop, yeoman, in 1631, aged 60 years, hence born in 1571 and therefore identical with the John baptized as above stated. It shows that the Shipton John supposed to have emigrated on the *Mayflower* and dead

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FURTHER TRACES OF JOHN TILLEY OF THE MAYFLOWER

By Robert Leigh Ward

In my earlier article, the English home of the Mayflower Tilley brothers John and Edward was revealed ("English Ancestry of Seven Mayflower Passengers: Tilley, Sampson and Cooper," TAG 52:198-208). They resided in Henlow, co. Bedford, before embarking for New England. Further information pertaining to John Tilley has since come to light, and it is the purpose of this article to give that information and discuss its significance.

Mayflower John Tilley was still in Henlow in 1607, as is revealed by the abstract of a will proved at Lambeth Palace:

> George Clarke of Henlow, co. Beds., Clothworker, 22 Sept. 1607. To be buried in the church of St. Marie Matfield, Whitechapel. His church duties paid, his funeralls discharged and his debts paid, he gives to his mother the use of £8 during her life, due to be paid to him by John Reysh gentleman at Michaelmas next, desiring Mr. Resh to pay the same to his [testator's] brother without any trouble or vexation. To his mother £7 13s. 8d. due to be paid to him at Michaelmas next by the hands of James Maister. Thomas Kirke, dwelling with John Tilee, owes him 9s. 9d. due at Michs.; he desires this also to be paid to his mother as also the sum of 3s. 6d. due to him from Anthony Cockes. After the decease of his mother he gives and bequeaths all his goods, moveable & immoveable, to his brother Francis and his sister Marie Clarke. Desires "my maister Clarke" to help his mother to her own and to see that she have no wrong. Tho: Askewe.
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> Proved 28 April 1608 by Anne Clarke, mother of deceased. Inventory sworn under £16 6s. 11d. (Bancroft, 243a) ("Bedfordshire Wills and Administrations Proved at Lambeth Palace and in the Archdeaconry of Huntington," Pubs. Beds. Hist. Record Soc., 2(1914):50-51).

Evidently this George Clarke was George, son of Lancelot Clearke, shearman, baptized Henlow 14 Jan. 1581[/2], since a sister Mary and brother Francis were also baptized there, and their father was buried there 30 July 1595. Mr. John Reysh (or Resh) was surely John Rush, probable step-father of Joan (Hurst)(Rogers) Tilley (wife of John Tilley). John Rush married 4 Feb. 1571[/2], widow Rose Hurst. James Maister was baptized Henlow 16 Sept. 1582, son of James and Joan (Wakefield) Master. Anthony Cockes was baptized Henlow 6 June 1584, son of John and Joisan (Campe) Cockes, and was buried there 11 May 1632 (F.G. Emmison, Bedfordshire Parish Registers, hereafter Emmison, 26:Henlow 1556-1812 [Bedford 1948]). None of these except John Rush had any connection with John Tilley by blood or marriage, as far as has been ascertained.

Thomas Kirke was probably the youngest child of Richard and Agnes (Jeve) Kirke of Henlow, and born about 1585. His baptism is not in the Henlow parish register. We do find there the following records of him and his wives. Thomas Kircke of Henlow "servant" married Henlow 11 Oct. 1607 Joan

Beckett of Campton. She was buried in Henlow 22 March 1620[/1], and he married there 27 May 1621 Joan Fanne. Thomas was buried at Henlow on 2 Nov. 1636 (Emmison, 26:Henlow).

Apparently Thomas Kirke was a servant of John Tilley. This might indicate a blood relationship to the Tilleys, possibly through John Tilley's mother Elizabeth (-----) Tilley, or through his mother-in-law Rose (-----)(Hurst) Rush, neither of whom has been identified so far.

Now we come to a more conjectural reference. Col. Charles Edward Banks says that one John Tilley, yeoman, was living in Wootton, co. Bedford, in 1613, aged 40 years, quoting Chanc. Deps. T.5/16 as his source (The English Ancestry and Homes of the Pilgrim Fathers [New York 1929] p. 88). In the Public Record Office in London the current reference is c21/T5/16, which records depositions of witnesses taken at Bedford 7 April [1613] 11 James [I], in a Chancery case between Humfrey Totnam or Tottenham, clerk, complainant, and Henry Bedles, Bedells, or Beadells, William Archer, and William Bedles, defendants, concerning land in Wootton and Marston, Bedfordshire. A transcript of the deposition of John Tilley, which was graciously provided by Robert S. Wakefield, FASG, reads in part:

> John Tylley of Wootton in the County of Bedford, yeoman, aged 40 years or thereabouts, sworn on behalf of Humfrie Totnam, complainant, deposeth: (1) He has known the plaintiff 12 years and above, and the defendant above 3 years....

The remainder of the deposition has little of genealogical value. Apparently the defendants had sold their land in Wootton field, about All Saints, under condition that certain debts of William Beadell be paid to Totnam.

Is this our Mayflower passenger? We cannot be sure. The age is about right since the deponent was "40 years or thereabouts," and the Mayflower man was 38. It is clear from this record that for the twelve years during which John Tylley of Wootton knew Humphrey Totnam, the latter was a continuous resident of Wootton, which lies about 12 miles west northwest of Henlow. Mayflower John Tilley maintained continuous residence at Henlow through 1607. The Wootton parish register shows no trace of any Tilley family from 1561 through 1812, so how John Tylley of Wootton knew Humphrey Totnam is not apparent (Emmison, 43:Wootton 1561-1812 [Bedford 1952]). (I have also searched the Wootton parish register for the families of the other six Mayflower passengers of my original article, and find no traces of the Hurst, Sampson or Wyne families; although there are many Cooper/Cowper entries, none of them seems to pertain to the Arlesey/Henlow Cooper family, but it is of course difficult to sort out the family members with such a common surname.) An intriguing possibility is that Mayflower John Tilley of Henlow may have come to know Humphrey Totnam while the lat-

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ter was Vicar of Shillington, a parish which adjoins Henlow on the southwest. If so, Tilley had known Totnam for at least 14 years, which is technically included in "12 years and above." The parish of Felmersham, of which Totnam was vicar in 1599, is some eight miles north of Wootton and about 16 miles northwest of Henlow (John Venn and J.A. Venn, Alumni Cantabrigiensis [Cambridge 1927], hereafter Venn, Part 1, 4:255).

Who was Humphrey Totnam? In the parish register of Wootton, Humphrey Totnam or Tottenham is variously described as minister, clerk, and vicar. He was born about 1569, son of John Tottenham of Barrington, co. Cambridge. He matriculated as sizar from Trinity College, Cambridge University, at Michaelmas 1583; received his B.A. in 1588/9 and M.A. in 1592. He was ordained deacon and priest at Peterboro 9 May 1592. He was Vicar of Shillington, co. Bedford 1592, of Felmersham, co. Bedford 1599, and of Wootton 1600-1638 (Venn, Part 1, 4:255). The Wootton parish register says, between baptisms on 9 Sept. and 4 Nov. 1599, "Humphrey Totnam begane this yeare."

Humphrey Totnam, minister, and Mary Beadles were married at Wootton on 6 June 1603. They had three children baptized there, according to the parish register: Charity, "Bettris," and Humphrey (d.y.). Mary (Beadles) Totnam was buried there 22 Oct. 1609, and Humphrey Totnam married there 27 June 1611 Sarah Linford. Humphrey and Sarah had six children baptized at Wootton: Godward (d.y.), Susanna, Sarah, Hannah, John, and Samuel (d.y.). Humphrey Tottenham, minister, was buried 16 June 1638 at Wootton (Emmison, 43:Wootton).

Evidently Totnam's first wife, Mary Beadles, was a relative of Henry and William Beadles of the suit, and probably of William Archer. The latter was probably the same who married Mary Bedles on 6 July 1596 at Lidlington, co. Bedford, a parish which adjoins Wootton on the southwest.

It is worth noting that the Henlow Parish Register shows a Robert Totnam marrying Margaret Lynnwood on 19 Nov. 1577. Robert could have been an uncle of Humfrie Totnam of the Chancery suit, but at least the Totnam family was not unknown in Henlow, Mayflower John Tilley's home.

In conclusion, we can be certain that the John Tilley of Henlow mentioned in the will of George Clarke is identical with the Mayflower passenger; that the John Tylley of the deposition was the same person remains only a possibility.

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JOHN TILLEY AND WIFE, JOAN HURST TILLEY PRESENTED THEIR DAUGHTER, ELIZABETH TILLEY TO BE BAPTIZED 30 AUGUST 1607 AND THE PARISH RECORDS ARE NOW KEPT IN THE BEDFORD COUNTY ARCHIVES, ENGLAND. THE PRESENT VICAR OBTAINED THE LOAN OF THESE RECORDS FROM THE ARCHIVES ESPECIALLY FOR OUR GROUP TO SEE.

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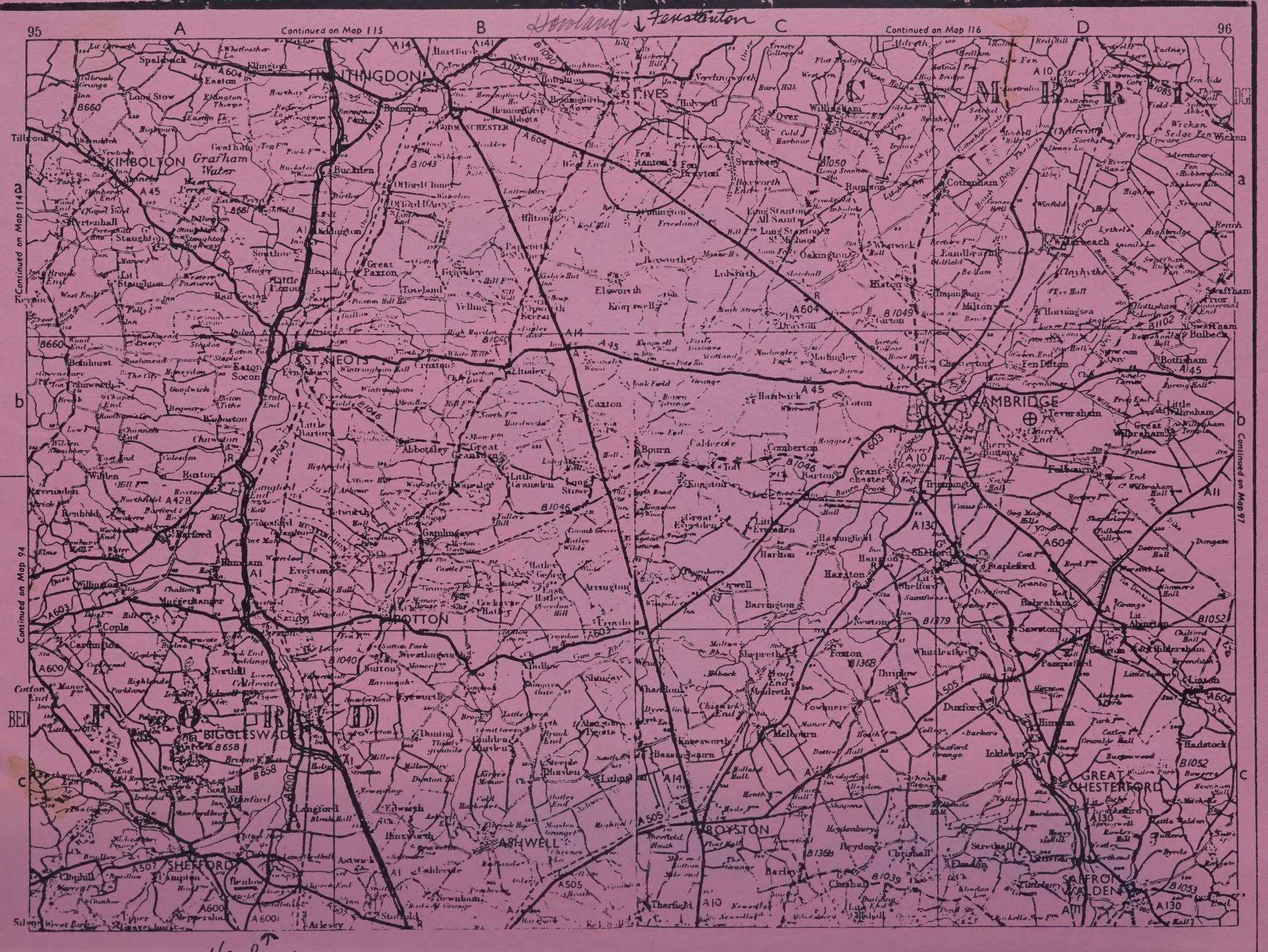
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Elizabeth Tilley's Grave Is Located in Rhode Island

Dorothy Symmonds

By Clinton W. Sellew

Tucked away in an ancient cemetery steeped in Indian and Pilgrim lore is the grave of Elizabeth Tilley Howland.

The widow of John Howland of the Mayflower died in 1687 at the home of her daughter Lydia Brown and was buried in Little Neck Cemetery in the Riverside section of East Providence, R.I. A few members of the Pilgrim John Howland Society visit her grave each year and those from the Providence area often place flowers there. Many other descendants would stop at the grave if they knew how to find it. (For directions see map on Page 7.)

The approach to this burial ground created in the mid-seventeenth century is made by way of Turner Avenue in Riverside to Read Street, thence on that street to Cozzens Avenue and east through the cemetery gate, where a sign denotes Rhode Island Historical Cemetery No. 5.

Passing through Little Neck Gardens and through the new part of Little Neck Cemetery one comes to North Avenue. The tract lying to the south of North Avenue is Ancient Little Neck Cemetery.

When the Wampanoag Indians roamed this territory which they called Wannamoisett, a point of land jutted out into a cove of Narragansett Bay, and on either side of this point, small streams emptied into the tidal waters. The brook emptying into the cove on the west side of the point was named "Moskituash" and is mentioned in the Sowams Deed of 1653. It has its source in springs about 60 rods east of Sowams Tablet on Pawtucket Avenue and flows through the property of Socony-Mobil Oil Company through the skating pond, across Willett Avenue, Burnside Avenue, Turner Avenue and Fenner Avenue into what is now called Bullock's Cove.

The brook emptying into the cove on the east side of the point, is shown on some early maps as "Viall Brook," presumably because it flowed through the property of the Viall family. It is now obscure until it emerges south of Willett Avenue, discernible as a ditch. This stream had its source in the swampland north and east of what is now known as Meadowcrest. Alluvial deposits and erosion over hundreds of years have so filled the basin on the east side of the point, that a shore line is hardly perceptible except at extremely high water, and the word neck becomes a mere cognomen.

It is recorded in the Plymouth Towne book bearing the date of the 29th, 10th month 1645 that John Brown, as assistant of the Plymouth Colony purchased from Massasoit a tract of land called "Wannamoisett" for a price of 15 pounds. A grant of this property was later issued by the colony to John Brown. This point of land referred to above, therefore became a part of the farm Mr. Brown had set aside for his home, from the tract he had purchased, and it later came to be known as "Little Neck."

What circumstances prompted John Brown to search out a suitable spot for use as a burial ground is purely speculative. Whether it was because of his advancing years and his known discernment of the affairs of life, or whether the unexpected death of a family member precipitated the action is difficult to establish. Whatever the motive, he did select this sandy point of land on his farm as a most suitable place for a burial ground.

Brown being a man of means and acumen, generously and wisely deeded this plot of land, it is said, to the town of Rehoboth that it might become a town burial ground and thereby proper

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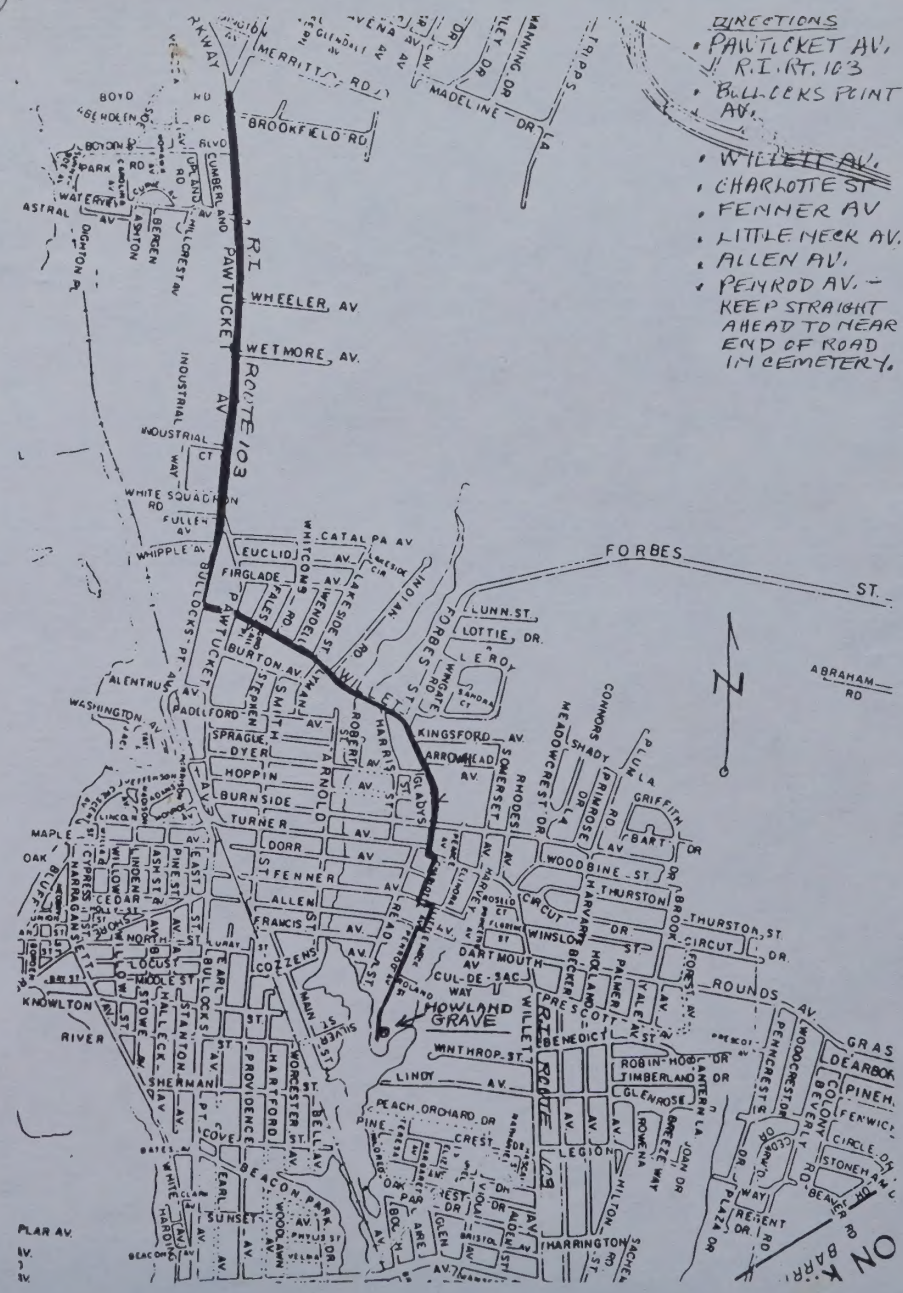

Map shows route to cemetery where Elizabeth Tilley Howland is buried.

✓ new MFIP - ✓ at CL

John Howland - VI - given
Stephen Hopkins - new book

Old Jordan's Barn -
Wm Penn bn -
3/4th of Mayflower - Timber used for barn
Chalfont - St Giles -
Out of London -

Use maiden name for all women.

EIGHT GENERATION ANCESTRAL CHART

CHART NO. _____ New Chart No.

Mrs. Dorothy Davidson SYMMONDS, P.O. Box 26, Bellaire, TX 77402
Name and address of person submitting this chart.

Date April & May 1992 tour to St. Mary's Church, Henlow, ENG

4 HOWLAND, Henry
born
where Fenstanton, ENG
married
died
where

5 - - , Margaret
born
where
died
where

2 HOWLAND, John
born 1592/3
where Fenstanton, Cambridge Co., ENG
married ca. 1626, Plymouth MASS
died 24 Feb 1672/3 (80)
where Plymouth, MASS

3 TILLEY, Elizabeth
born bapt. 30 Aug 1607
where Henlow, Bedford Co., ENG
died 21 DEC 1687
where Swansea, MASS
cem Little Neck Cem, Rehoboth, now part of East Providence, RI.

6 TILLEY, John
born 15 DEC 1571
where Henlow, Bedford Co., ENG
married 20 Sept 1596 at Henlow
died 1621
where Plymouth, MASS

7 HURST, Joan (wid. of Thomas Rogers)
born bapt. 13 Mar 1567/8
where Henlow, Bedford Co., ENG
died 1621
where Plymouth, MASS

8
born
where
died

9
born
where
died

10
born
where
died

11
born
where
died

12 TILLEY, Robert
born May 1540
where Henlow, Bedford Co., ENG
died 1612/13, Henlow ENG

13 - -, Elizabeth
born
where
died 27 Mar 1614 at Henlow, ENG

14 HURST William
born c. 1530
where
died bef. 1571

15 - - , Rose
born
where
died 23 July 1601
w. Henlow, Bedford Co., ENG

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born
17
born
18
born
19
born
20
born
21
born
22
born
23
born

24 TYLLE, William
born c. 1515 d. 1578/9 Henlow

25 - -, Agnes
born d. 1582 Henlow

26
born
27
born
28
born
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born
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born
31
born

No. 1 is No. _____ On Chart No. _____

1 HOWLAND, Lydia
born c. 1633
where Plymouth, MASS
married c. 1654, Rehoboth, MASS
died 1710 +
where Swansea, MASS
Bur. Little Neck Cem.

BROWNE, James
Spouse of No. 1
d. 29 OCT 1710, bur. Little Neck Cem. w. Bristol County, MASS

	Died	X	X	X	X	Born-Died
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sources of information or remarks

Bedford County, ENG. archives and-- St. Mary's Churchyard Cem. Henlow.
"The American Genealogist" Ward.
/ in a date denotes "old style" calendar date.
"PLYMOUTH COLONY ITS HISTORY & PEOPLE 1620-1691" by E. A. Stratton.
Gov. William Bradford's "HISTORY OF PLIMOTH PLANTATION".

	Died	parents
48		TILLEY, Henry d.1520
49		TILLY, Thomas (1490-1556) -- - Johan d. aft 1520
50		-- Margaret d.1556+)
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English Ancestry of Seven Mayflower Passengers: Tilley, Sampson and Cooper

BY ROBERT LEIGH WARD

The list of passengers on the *Mayflower* given by Governor Bradford in *Of Plimoth Plantation* includes the following:

> Edward Tilley and Ann his wife, and two children that were their cousins, Henry Sampson and Humility Cooper
> John Tilley and his wife, and Elizabeth their daughter

In his further account of the passengers entitled "Increasings and Decreasings," apparently written early in 1651, he states:

> Edward Tilley and his wife both died soon after their arrival, and the girl Humility, their cousin, was sent for into England and died there. But the youth Henry Sampson is still living and is married and hath seven children.
> John Tilley and his wife both died a little after they came ashore. And their daughter Elizabeth married with John Howland and hath issue as is before noted.

Other authors have attempted to establish the English home of this seven-member family group. In the *New York Genealogical and Biographical Record* 35:213, 291, it was claimed that John[1] and Edward[1] Tilley were sons of Lawrence and Bridget Tilley of Shipton, co. Salop, but this identification was rejected by Col. Charles E. Banks in *The English Ancestry and Homes of the Pilgrim Fathers*, pp. 86-88. Banks himself found a marriage of a John Tilley and Elizabeth Comyngs, 2 Feb. 1605/6 in the parish of St. Andrew Undershaft, London, which he said *may* be the marriage of the *Mayflower* passengers. Others have accepted this as proof, but Francis R. Stoddard, in *The Truth About the Pilgrims*, p. 153, states with laudable caution that John[1] Tilley of the *Mayflower* "was apparently the one who was married to Elizabeth Comyngs."

Recently information has come to light which shows conclusively that this is also incorrect, and that this family group originated in the parish of Henlow, co. Bedford. Descent from the Wheeler family of Bedfordshire led me to examine F. G. Emmison's 44-volume series, *Bedfordshire Parish Registers*, which include more than ninety parishes. While reading the register of Henlow in vol. 26, I found the marriage of Edward Tillie and Agnes Cooper, on 20 June 1614. This rang a strong bell, in view of Banks's assertion that Humility[1] Cooper was related to Edward[1] Tilley's wife Ann. Further investigation revealed the information below and firmly established that these were the *Mayflower* passengers.

Let us consider the family names in question in four groups: Tilley and others, Hurst and others, Cooper and others, and Sampson and others. The Henlow parish register begins in 1559 and the Bishop's Transcripts in 1602.

I. Tilley and others

Henlow Parish Register and Bishop's Transcripts

Baptisms

TILLEY:

1574	Dec. 19	John, s. Robert Tillye
1574	May 8	Rose, d. Robert Tillye
1576[/7]	Jan 26	George, s. Robert Tillye
1579[/80]	Mar 6	Agnes, d. Robert Tillye
1582[/3]	Jan 26	Elizabeth, d. Robert Tillye
1585	Sep 1	William, s. Robert Tyllye, yeoman
1588	May 27	Edmond, s. Robert Tilly
1590[/1]	Feb 28	Alice, d. Robert Tillie
1597	Oct 23	Rose, d. John Tilly
1599	Aug 26	John, s. John Tyllye, husbandman
1601[/2]	Feb 28	Rose, d. John Tyllye, husbandman
1604	Nov 25	Robert, s. John & Joan Tylly
1607	Aug 30	Elizabeth, d. John & Joan Tilly
1614	Oct 20	Ann, d. William & Elizabeth Tilly
1616	Nov 17	Elizabeth, d. William Tilly
1619	Dec 5	Edward, s. William & Elizabeth Tilly
1622	Apr 3	Elizabeth, d. William & Elizabeth Tilly

WARD

15[7]1	Dec 2	John, s. William Warde, tailor
1576	May 3	Michael, s. William Warde
1578	June 15	Agnes, d. William Warde

YOUNG

1580	Nov 20	John, s. Thomas Younge
1584	Sep 6	Robert, s. same

SHEFFIELD

1574	Jul 12	John, s. William Sheffielde
1576	Aug 24	William, s. William Sheffeild
1578	Dec 30	Agnes, d. same
1578[/9]	Jan 17	Agnes, d. same [dupe?]

HUCKLE

1560[/1]	Mar 23	Frances, [d.] Richard
1565	Aug 26	William, s. same
1570[/1]	Jan 19	Thomas, s. same
1574	Apr 11	Joan, d. same

AUSTIN alias KENT

1587[/8]	Feb 11	Richard, s. William Kent alias Austin
1609	Jun 11	Elizabeth, d. Richard & Elizabeth Austin
1611	Jun 2	Ann, d. Richard & Elizabeth Auson
1613	Aug 22	Agnes, d. Richard & Elizabeth Ason

Marriages

TILLEY

1596	Sep 20	John Tyly & Joan Rogers
1599	Jun 24	John Goods & Rose Tillie
1608	Dec 15	Richard Austine, widower & Elizabeth Tylly, both of Henlow
1612	Nov 11	William Tillie & Elizabeth Peppitt
1614	Jun 20	Edward Tillie & Agnes Cooper
1635	Nov 12	Robert Goare & Elizabeth Tilley

YOUNG

1588	Nov 11	Thomas Younge, Jun. & Joan Petchett
1623	Jul 12	Thomas Young & Agnes Fentiman widow

AUSTIN alias KENT

1651	Jun 30	Richard Fordam & Elizabeth Asten

Burials

TILLEY

1578[/9]	Jan 21	William Tyllye, husbandman
1582	Jun 7	Agnes Tyllye, widow, an old woman
1597	Jul 29	Alice, d. Robert Tillie
1614	Mar 27	Elizabeth Tillie, widow
1624[/5]	Jan 18	William Tilly

YOUNG

1585	May 5	Mary, w. Thomas Younge, "a vertuous woman was she, & dyed a good death"
1622	May 23	Joan, w. Thomas Young
1628	Apr 26	Thomas Young
1632	Apr 13	Ann Yong, widow

WARD

1574[/5]	Jan 11	John, s. William Warde
1578[/9]	Feb 6	William Ward, tailor "vir honestus"
1596	Sep 25	Agnes, d. William Warde, tailor

HUCKLE

1590	May 11	Richard Huckle, an old man

AUSTIN alias KENT

1624[/5]	Feb 20	Widow Aston

GORE

1630	Sep 17	Ann, w. Robert Gore
1639	Jun 14	Robert Goare

PROBATE RECORDS, ARCHDEACONRY COURT OF BEDFORD

1. Will of Henry Tilly, Archdeaconry of Bedford 2:163: In the name of god amen. The yere of o[r] lord ye [m]cccccxx the first day of the moneth of Septeber, I Henry Tilly of Henlow in the com. of Bed. in the dioc. of Lincoln hole of mynd and remembrance make my testament in this man[r]. First I bequeth my sowle to almyghty god o[r] lady and all the company of hevyn my bodie to be buryyd in the church yard of Henlow. Item I bequeth my best good for my mortuary after the custome of the towne. Item I bequeth to the high aulter of Henlow ii busshellys barley. Also I bequeth to the bellys in the sayd church ii busshellys barley. Item I bequeth to the gild prest of o[r] lady in the said church of Henlow i part f[ ]e to syng specially for me and my frends and generally for all the bretherne and sustunance of the same gild xxviii s. iiii d. if thir be none b[r]otherhed prest then an other honest prest to have the sayd part f[ ]e. Item I bequeth to the children of Thomas Tilly my Sonne ech of them the out see of a cow of x annas. Item I bequeth my place to Johan my wiff terme of her liff after the decease of her I bequeth it to Will[m] Tilly my sonne if they both consent to selle the sayd place I will that Thomas Tilly my sonne by it byfore any other payying asmoch as a nother man will. if William my sonne decease w[th]out Issue byfore the sayd place be sold then I will it to be sold and have a prest to pray for me and my frends whill the money lasteth. The Resedu of my goods my detts payd and all thyng done I bequeth them to Johan my wiff and Will[m] Tilly my sonne whome I make and order myy executors. Also I ordayn Thomas Tilly my sonne supervisor. provyn at Henlow the day and yere aforesayd. Witnes hereof Jnn Underwood, Will[m] March, Ser Albert, Bisshopp Wothen. [Proved 4 Dec. 1520 by William Tilly, executor.]

2. Will of Thomas Tylle, Archdeaconry of Bedford 13:29 f.: In the name of god amen. the yere of o^{r} lord god 1556 & the xxi^{tl} day of august. I Thomas Tylle of Henlowe in the county of Bedf. being of hole mynd and memory p[rai]se be god mke this my last will and testament in man^{r} and foame followinge. First I bequeth my sowle to almighty god o^{r} Lord & saint marye and all the holly company of heaven and my bodye to be buried in the parish church yard of henlow beforesaid. It. I bequeth to o^{r} mothers church of Lincoln of Lincoln [sic] iiii d. It. to the high ault^{r} of henlowe iiii d. for tythes forgotten iiii d. It. I gyve and bequeth to agnes my daugh^{r} ii bishels of barlye & I give to every child that ye said agnes hath els half a bushell of barlye. It. I gyve and bequeth unto Margaret my wyfe the howse that I dwell in wth all Lands medowes and pastures and pfects thernto in any wyse appertayning and belonging aft^{r} any man^{r} and sort as I had the same t ye making hereofe during her naturall lyfe & aft^{r} her I will the said howse wth thapptnces therto appertanynge remaine unto will^{m} Tyle my sone and to ye heyres of ye said Willm for ev^{r}. It. I will the said m'geret shall occupie the said land according to certeyn covenants made in writings betwixt me & the said Willm as yet unsealed. It. the rest of my goods moveabell my debts paid & the legacies conteyned in this my last will performed I give and bequeth unto M^{r}geret mt wyfe during her naturall lyfe & aft^{d} I will the said goods remain to Willm my sone the wch M^{r}geret & Willm I order and make my faithfull executors for the true performing of this my last will & testament & Jhon Sayres supervisor. Thes being wytnes desired by ye testator James torn^{r} vicar there, Jhon Deds, wth others. [Proved 6 Oct. 1556.]

3. Will of Willyam Tylle, Archdeaconry of Bedford, 19:86 f.: In the name of god Amen: The firste of January A^{o} dm̃ 1578: I Willyam Tylle of Henlowe in the countie of Beddforde husbandman, sicke of bodie but whole of minde, thanckes be unto god, doe ordaine and make this my laste will and testament, in manner & fourme followinge: Firste I committ my soule to allmightie god, and my bodie to be buried in the church yarde of Henlowe aforesaide: Imprimis I give to Robert Tille my sonne, twoe bullockes, & to John his sonne, one bullocke: Item I give unto Willyam Warde, my sonne in lawe, twoe bullockes, one yearelinge, & an other twoe yeares oulde: Item I give unto Willyam Sheffeilde my sonne in lawe, a cowe bullocke & a bullchime. Item I will that Willyam Sheffeilde shall have his bargaine, in my lande from that time he beganne untill three yeares be expired: Item I give unto every one of Robert Tylles children, twoe sheepe a peese & to him selfe fower sheepe: Item I give unto Agnes Warde two sheepe: Item I give unto Willyam Sheffeildes children, twoe sheepe a peece, that is to saie John Willyam and Agnes: Item I give unto Robert Tille my sonne six quarters of malte, and to his three children a quarter a peece: Item I give unto Agnes Warde a quarter of malte: Item I give unto Willyam Sheffeilde iii l vi s. viii d. of money, that he oweth me if god take me out of this worlde att this present time. Item I give unto Willyam Sheffeilde, one quarter of malte: I give unto Mary my daughter, one quarter of malte, allsoe Agnes my wife must have of Willyam Sheffeilde, my sonne in lawe every yeare, as longe as he houldes my lande, five acres of barley and five acres of pease, every yeare & my wife to finde seede to sowe it with all: Item I give unto Richard Huckle, a quarter of barley, and to every one of his children, a bushel of pease. Item I give unto John Waller & to Margaret Waller twoe bushells of barley a peece. Item I give unto Agnes my wife all my howseholde: Item I give to the repaire of Collington haven ii d. Item I give to Agnes my wife tenn quarters of barley: Item I give to Robert Tille my sonne fower quarters of barley. Item I give unto Willyam Warde a quarter of barley: Item I give unto Willyam Sheffeikde twoe quarters of barley: I Item I give unto Robert Tille my sonne, six bushels of pease, & halfe a quarter of bullymunge. Item I give to Willyam Sheffeilde a quarter of bullimunge: Item I give unto Robert Tille my sonne one hogge: Item I give unto Willyam Sheffeilde one hogge: Item to Willyam Warde one hogge and Agnes my wife to have twoe hogges and a sowe: Item I give unto Mary Farr one sheepe: Item I give into Willyam Huckle a sheepe and I will that all theise portions shall be answered ymmediatly after my deathe: Item I give unto Agnes my wife fower quarters of malte: the reste of my goodes moveables & unmoveables unbequeathed I give unto Agnes my wife, & Robert my sonne, whome I make my sole executors of this my last will & testamente written in the presence of Thomas Underwood, Willyam Elborne, Thomas Younge, Charles Browne. [Proved 28 Jan. 1578.]

4. Will of Agnes Tille, Archdeaconry of Bedford 20:80 f.: In the name of god Amen: The firste daie of June in the yeare of our lorde god 1582: I Agnes Tylle of Henlowe, in the countie of Beddforde widowe being sicke in bodie, butt of good & perfecte remembrance, thancke be given to god, doe ordaine & make this my testament and laste will, in manner followinge: First & principally I bequeathe my soule, into the handes of allmightie god my maker and redeemer, and my bodie, to be buried in the churcheyarde of Henlowe aforesaide: Item I give to Tho: Younge my sonne in lawe, one cowe, one hogge, the greatest kettle, the newe coverlett, that I laste boughte, one pillowe, with the pillowe beare, one paire of sheetes, & a peticoate, the greatest cheste save one, the greatest posenett, & one sheepe and a lambe: Item I give to

Agnes Warde, the daughter of Willyam Warde, a coffer paineted with redd, a little rownde table a pillowe with the pillowe beare, & one quarter of barley: Item I give to Richard Huckle my sonne in lawe and my daughter Elizabeth his wife, one frocke, the youngest cowe, that I laste boughte, one mattrice and the coverlett of Darimpe, wch commonly lyeth on my bedd, my cupboarde & cupboard cloathe, one ewe, one paire of sheetes, and a boultinge tubbe, the brewing kettle and the least posenett, the benche boarde, one sheete & a platter, twoe bushells of barley and ii s. of currant money of Englande: Item I give to Willyam Sheffeilde my sonne in lawe and Alice his wife the youngest cowe beinge blacke, my featherbedd, and coverlett, of cleane woolle of tapistry worke, one boulster twoe round pannes, one peticoate, one paire of sheetes the greatest cheste, the morter and the saltinge troffe. Item I give to John Harwood one sheete one bushell of barley my working daie peticoate, and my fustian waisecoate and one smocke: Item I give to Robert Sam, my late servant, the ould coverlett, that useth to lye on my bedd. Item I give to Willyam Poulter of Hitchme x s, of currant money of Englande: Item I give to Robert Porye of Henlowe one good sheepe: Item I give to my sonne Robert Tille & John Tille his sonne vi s. viii d. the peece: Item I give to George Tille, Rose Tille and Agnes Tille, Robert Tilles children, the elldest of my black kyne, to be soulde, & to be equally divided betweene them, and the next calfe of the saide cowe when god shall send it. I will it to be given to Mary Farre, my sonne Robert Tilles wifes daughter: Item I give to the churche of Henlowe aforesaide xii d. and to Collington haven ii d. Item I give more to Richard Huckle my saide sonne in lawe xx s. of currant money of Englande, and one acre of my pease, & one acre of my barley if the same be sowed in the feildes att the daye of my decease or else to have his parte in so muche as shall be sowen accordinge to the rate of one parte, in three partes in all the saide pease & barley, wch to my parte belongethe. Item the rest of my pease & Barley and the debtes to me owinge, as all other my goodes & cattells hearein unbequeathed, I give them to Thomas Younge & Willyam Sheffeilde my saide sonnes in lawe, equally to be devided betweene them, whome allsoe the same Thomas Younge & Willyam Sheffeilde I make my executors to this my testament & laste will, they to see my debtes paide, theise my legacies fullfilled, & my funerall expence dischardged: Item I ordaine for supervisors heareof John Rushe yeoman, my trustie freinde, for whose paines thearein to be taken, I give vi s. viii d. Item my will is that theise my aforenamed giftes, legacies & bequestes to be paide & perfourmed ymmediatly after my decease except the money wch hearein I have bequeathed, I will it to be given within nine monethes after my decease. Witnesses Antony Coxe, Tho: Farre, Anne Britton, Robt Pory. [Proved 13 July 1582.]

5. Will of Robert Tilley, Archdeaconry of Bedford 30:73 f.: In the name of god Amen: I Robert Tilley of Henlowe in the countie of Bedd: yeoman sicke in bodie but whole and of good and perfect remembrance, thankes be given to god therefore, doe this 31th daie of December A^{o} 1612 renounce and revoake all former willes by me hearebefore made, and doe nowe make and ordaine, this my laste will and testament in manner and forme followinge that is to saie: First I bequeathe my soule to allmightie god my maker, and to Jesus Christe his sonne my reedemer, by whose deathe and passion I hope to be saved and my bodie to be buried att the discretion of my executrix: secondlie I give and bequeathe unto Elizabeth nowe my wife, for and duringe her naturall life, my free house whearein I dwell, with the backe side, ortchards, and garden. with the appurtenances theareunto belonginge with a little stripe or platte of grounde, whereaon sometimes did stande a barne, wch Willyam Tilley purchased of one Richard Huckle as by a deede thereof made betweene them appeareth and froam and after her deathe, I will and bequeathe the saide freehouse, with the ortcharde, garden, and all other the premisses aforesaide, withe the appurtenances to my sonne John Tilleye; to have and to holde to him and his heires for ever, with and uppon this Condition nevertheless viz.: that he my saide sonne John shall within six monethes next after the decease of me the saide Robert, and Elizabeth nowe my wife, paie unto my sonne Edward Tilley his brother, his executors or assignes, the some of thirtie poundes of lawfull englishe money: and if my saide sonne John shall make defaulte of payment of the saide thirtie poundes and nott paie the some unto my sonne Edward Tilley his executors or assignes, att or before the time aforesaide, then my will and minde is, and I doe hearebie give and bequeathe the saide freehouse and other the premisses aforesaide with the appurtenances unto my said sonne Edwarde, and his heires for ever: Item I doe moreover give and bequeath to my saide sonne Edwarde, the some of fortie and nine poundes of lawfull englishe money wch is to be paide unto me by my saide sonne John att such daies and place as by the bondes thereof appeareth togeather with the saide bondes of obligations themselves nowe remaynine, in my own custodie, the wch my will is, my executrix shall presentlie deliver unto him my saide sonne Edwarde, after my deathe and suffer him to see the same in her name, if defaulte of payment be made of the saide money att the tyme specified in the saide bondes or obligations: allsoe I give unto my saide sonne Edwarde, the [ ]lyned beddsteede

Reconstructed Family

Elizabeth Tilly m. John Howland

m. 20 Aug 1596

John Tilly
b bp 19 Dec 1571
d 1621 Plymouth, MA

Joan (Hurst) Rogers, wid.
d 1621

Robert
b c1540
d bu 21 Feb 1612/13

m c1570

Elizabeth —

William
b c1515
d c1579

m

Agnes —

Thomas
b c1490
d c1556

m

Margaret —

Henry
b c1465
d c1520

m

Johan —

in the outermoste chamber, and the [ ]lyned cheste, standinge in the same chamber, I give to my sonne William Tilley, bothe wch bedsteede & cheste are to be delivered unto them severallie, after my wifes decease, unless she shall thincke good to lett them have the same before: Item I give to my daughter Rose x s. and to everie one of her children a sheepe: Item I give to my daughter Elizabethe x s. and to everie one of her children a sheepe: Item I give to everie one of my sonne Johns children a sheepe: All the rest and residewe of my goodes cattell and chattells whatsoever unbequeathed, my debtes paide and my funerall expences dischardged, I give and bequeathe to Elizabethe my wife, whome I doe make and appointe my sole executrix of this my laste will and testament, and I doe make and appointe my lovinge frende Mr. Richarde Edwardes of Henlowe aforesaide gent. to be my overseer of this my will intreatinge him to aide and assiste my saide executrix, with his councell and advise in the due execution heareof to whome I give x s. as a token of my love and goodwill unto him: In witnes whereof I have heareunto sett my hande and seale, the daie and yeare first above written. Witnesses John Willisone, Edmonde Master, Leonard Bonefeilde, George Edwardes. [Proved 6 April 1612.]

6. Abstract of the will of Willyam Warde, Archdeacony of Bedford 19:111: Willyam Warde, Taylour, of Henlowe, 4 Feb. 1578[/9]; to dau. Agnes Warde at age 16, household goods; wife Mary Warde, executrix; brother Robert Tilley, overseer; to Collington Haven £2. Witnesses: John Morgan, clerk; Robert Tilley Willyam Sheffeilde. Probated 25 Sept. 1579.

Using the above records, we construct the following hypothetical family groupings:

1. Henry^D^ Tilly, of Henlow, b. say 1465; will dated 1 Sept. 1520, proved 4 Dec. 1520. He m. Johan ---- who was living in 1520. They were the earliest generation of this family discovered.

Children, from his will:

2 i. Thomas^C^, b. say 1490, d. 1556.

ii. William, b. say 1495, executor of father's will, 4 Dec. 1520, then apparently unm.

2. Thomas^C^ Tilly (Henry^D^), of Henlow, b. say 1490, will dated 21 Aug. 1556, proved 6 Oct. 1556. He m. Margaret ----- who was living in 1556. His unnamed children were mentioned in his father's will in 1520.

Children, from his will:

i. Agnes, b. say 1510, apparently m. and having issue by 1556.

3 ii. William^B^, b. say 1515, d. ca. 1579.

3. William^B^ Tylle (Thomas^C^, Henry^D^), of Henlow, husbandman, b. say 1515, bur. 21 Jan. 1578/9, Henlow; will dated 1 Jan. 1578/9, proved 28 Jan. 1578/9. He m. Agnes -----, bur. Henlow, 7 June 1582, "an old woman," will dated 1 June 1582, proved 13 July 1582.

Children, from both wills:

i. Elizabeth, b. say 1535, possibly a daughter of Agnes by a previous husband, as she is not mentioned in the will of William Tylle, yet is in Agnes Tylle's will; m. before 1559, Richard Huckle, who perhaps was bur. 11 May 1590 at Henlow, "an old man." His unnamed children are mentioned in the will of William Tylle in 1578/9, as is he, but no relationship is specified.

Children (surnamed Huckle):

a. Thomas, bur. 25 June 1559, Henlow.

b. Frances, bapt. 23 March 1560/1, Henlow.

c. William, bapt. 26 Aug. 1565, Henlow, mentioned in William Tylle's will, 1578/9.

d. Thomas, bapt. 19 Jan. 1570/1, Henlow.

e. Joan, bapt. 11 April 1574, Henlow.

4 ii. Robert^A^, b. say 1540, d. 1612/3.

iii. Mary, b. say 1545; bur. Henlow, 5 May 1585, "a vertuous woman was she, and dyed an good death"; m. before 1571, (1) William Warde, tailor, of Henlow (bur. 6 Feb. 1578/9, Henlow, "vir honestus"; (2) ca. 1579, Thomas Younge, stinger [i.e. stringer, a bowstring maker], of Henlow (bur. 26 April 1628, Henlow). Thomas Young m. (2) at Henlow, 19 Jan. 1588/9, Joan Petchett, and (3) at Henlow, 12 July 1623, widow Agnes (Packer) Fentiman.

Children (surnamed Warde):

a. John, bapt. Henlow, 2 Dec. 1571, bur. there, 11 Jan. 1574/5.

b. Michael, bapt. Henlow, 3 May 1576, apparently d. y.

c. Agnes, bapt. Henlow, 15 June 1578, bur. there, 25 Sept. 1596, prominently mentioned in the wills of her maternal grandparents.

iv. Alice, b. say 1550; m. before 1574, William Sheffield.

Children (surnamed Sheffield):

a. John, bapt. Henlow, 12 July 1574.

b. William, bapt. Henlow, 24 Aug. 1576.

c. Agnes, bapt. Henlow, 30 Dec. 1578, also recorded as 17 Jan. 1578/9.

4. Robert^A^ Tilley (William^B^, Thomas^C^, Henry^D^) of Henlow, yeoman, b. say 1540, bur. Henlow, 21 Feb. 1612/3; will dated 31 Dec. 1612, proved 6 April 1612 [sic: should be 1613]. He m. ca. 1570, Elizabeth -----, bur. Henlow, 27 March 1614. She had a daughter, Mary Farr, mentioned in Agnes Tylle's will, 1582, and William Tylle's will, 1578/9, whose baptism does not appear in the Henlow registers, and who is not mentioned in Robert Tilley's will, 1612. Robert was executor of the will of William Ellborne of Henlow, shearman, dated 16 Jan. 1587/8, proved 1 Oct. 1588 (Archdeaconry of Bedford 22:55).

Children:

5 i. John[1], bapt. Henlow, 19 Dec. 1571, d. Plymouth, Mass., 1621.

ii. Rose, bapt. Henlow, 8 May 1574; m. Henlow, 24 June 1599, John Goods. No children recorded at Henlow.

iii. George, bapt. Henlow, 26 Jan. 1576/7, living 1582, d. before 1612.

iv. Agnes, bapt. Henlow, 6 March 1579/80, living 1582, d. before 1612.

v. Elizabeth, bapt. Henlow, 26 Jan. 1582/3, living 1612, possibly bur. 20 Feb. 1624/5 Henlow; probably m. Henlow, 15 Dec. 1608, Richard Austin, widower, bapt. Henlow, 11 Feb. 1587/8, son of William and Mary (Bromeham) Austin *alias* Kent.

Children (surnamed Austin):

a. Elizabeth, bapt. Henlow, 11 June 1609.

b. Ann, bapt. Henlow, 2 June 1611.

c. Agnes, bapt. Henlow, 22 Aug. 1613.

6 vi. William, bapt. Henlow, 1 Sept. 1585, bur. there 18 Jan. 1624/5.

7 vii. Edward[1], bapt, Henlow, as Edmond, 27 May 1588, d. Plymouth, Mass. 1621.

viii. Alice, bapt. Henlow, 28 Feb. 1590/1, bur. there 29 July 1597.

5. John[1] Tilley (Robert^A^, William^B^, Thomas^C^, Henry^D^), bapt. at Henlow, 19 Dec. 1571, he m. 20 Sept. 1596, at Henlow, Joan[1] Hurst, widow of Thomas Rogers (see below). Both came on the *Mayflower* in 1620 and died in the general sickness during the first winter. The given name of John Tilley's wife is not recorded in American records. Banks (*loc. cit.*) mentions a deposition of one John Tilley, yeoman, of Wootton, co. Bedford, in 1613, aged 40 years (Chanc. Deps. T. 5/16), which is very likely this man. [Joan's first husband was, of course, not the *Mayflower* passenger.]

Children:

i. Rose, bapt. Henlow, 23 Oct. 1597, apparently d. y.

ii. John, bapt. Henlow, 26 Aug. 1599.

iii. Rose, bapt. Henlow, 28 Feb. 1601/2.

iv. Robert, bapt. Henlow, 25 Nov. 1604.

v. Elizabeth , bapt. Henlow, 30 Aug. 1607, d. 21 Feb. 1687/8, aged 80, Swansea. Mass.; m. ca. 1625, John Howland of the *Mayflower*, d. 23 Feb. 1672/3. Eleven children and many descendants. Her will dated 17 Dec. 1686 says "being seventy nine yeares of Age." She was the only child of her parents recorded as coming to America with them.

6. William Tilley (Robert^A^, William^B^, Thomas^C^, Henry^D^) of Henlow, baptized there 1 Sept. 1585, bur. there 18 Jan. 1624/5, married there 11 Nov. 1612, Elizabeth Peppitt, who perhaps m. (2) as second wife, at Henlow, 12 Nov. 1635, Robert Goare (bur. 14 June 1639 at Henlow). Her surname does not occur elsewhere in the Henlow registers unless it be a corruption of Petchett.

Children:

i. Ann, bapt. Henlow, 20 Oct. 1614.

ii. Elizabeth, bapt. Henlow, 17 Nov. 1616, apparently d. y.

iii. Edward, bapt. Henlow, 5 Dec. 1619.

iv. Elizabeth, bapt. Henlow, 3 April 1622.

7. Edward[1] Tillie (Robert^A^, William^B^, Thomas^C^, Henry^D^), of Henlow, bapt. there as Edmond 27 May 1588. He m. there 20 June 1614 Agnes Cooper (see below). They came on the *Mayflower* in 1620 with her "cousins" Henry[1] Sampson and Humility[1] Cooper. Both of the Tillies died in the general sickness during the first winter at Plymouth, Mass. No children are recorded at Henlow or elsewhere, so far as discovered.

II. Hurst and Others

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married Mary Goding, who was born in ... and died at Ashland in 1892. She was a ... of Amasa Goding, a native of Maine, ... died at Masardis, Maine, about 1875, at ... age of about ninety. Mr. Goding lived at ... Maine, whence he removed to Masardis ... in life and followed farming. He married ... His second wife was Mary (Goss) ..., a widow. Children of Amasa Goding ... first wife: 1. William Goding, died at Ash... married Melinda Kallock. 2. Harriet ... Goding, died at Strong, Maine; married ... Smith, a farmer of Strong. 3. Josephine ..., died at Farmington; married William ... 4. Elmira, died at Masardis; mar... Daniel Wyman. 5. Eliza Goding, died at ..., married Samuel Leavitt. Children ... second wife: 6. Amasa Goding, a farmer, ... Eveline Smith. 7. Llewellyn, a re... farmer, living at Masardis; married Han... House; second, Mrs. Harvey, a widow.

Children of Charles Sewell Thurston: 1. ... A., married John C. Young, men... above. 2. John Thurston, died aged ... years. 3. Charles Austin, 1859; died ... Wisconsin in 1883, unmarried. 4. Edward ... Thurston, 1861, married Helen ... of Sherman; living in Haverhill, ...achusetts. 5. Herbert Eugene Thurston, ... 6. Mary Estelle Thurston, 1868, a trained ... in Haverhill. 7. James Madison Thurs... 1870, resided in the Philippines in the ... States navy, when last heard from. 8. ... Franklin Thurston, 1872; married ... Owen of Presque Isle; now a provi... merchant in Tacoma, Washington. 9. ... R. Thurston, 1874; married George ... of Haverhill.

(...) George Austin Young, son of John ... Young, was born at Garfield, Maine, ... 17, 1886. He received his early education ... public schools of his native town. ... his boyhood he worked on his father's ... part of which he inherited and now cul... In politics he is a Republican. For ... two years he has been town treasurer. ... member of Ashland Grange, No. 247, ... of Husbandry, in which he has filled ... offices of gate-keeper, steward and over... In religion he is an Episcopalian. He is ... Odd Fellow, member of Mountain ... Lodge, Ashland, Maine.

EATON Francis Eaton, the immigrant ancestor of this family, came from England to Plymouth, Mas..., in 1620, in the "Mayflower," and ... famous compact on board that his... He was a carpenter by trade. He ... admitted a freeman in 1633, and March 25, 1633, was rated at nine shillings. His wife Sarah, son Samuel, and infant, came with him. His wife died before 1627; Bradford says she died "in the generall sickness which was in the winter of 1620-21." He married a second wife, who died soon, and he married (third) Christian Penn, who came over in the "Ann," in 1623. He removed from Plymouth to Duxbury, where he died in the latter part of 1633. Administration on his estate was granted to Thomas Prence and John Doane, November 25, same year. In July, 1634, his widow married Francis Billington, by whom she had eight children. Children of Francis Eaton, by first wife: Samuel, born in England or Holland, 1620. By second wife: Rachel, born in Plymouth, 1624-25, married, March 2, 1645, Joseph Ramsden. By third wife: Benjamin, of whom further. There were two other children, one an "ideote," and another who probably died without issue.

(II) Benjamin, son of Francis Eaton, was born in Duxbury, Massachusetts, about 1627. He was apprenticed or bound out February 11, 1635, for fourteen years, including two years at school, to Bridget Fuller, widow. In 1648 he was of Duxbury, and in 1650 of Plymouth, and was admitted to the first church there, March 19, 1693. He married, December 4, 1660, Sarah, daughter of William Hoskins; he was a grantee of Middleboro, but never lived there. Children: William, born about 1662, will proved March 18, 1690-91; Benjamin, of whom further; Ebenezer, born about 1667; Rebecca, married Josiah Richard.

(III) Benjamin (2), son of Benjamin (1) Eaton, was born at Plymouth, in 1664. His trade was that of "housewright" at Kingston, then a part of Plymouth. His will was dated April 3, 1745, and proved December 20 same year. He married (first) December 18, 1689, Mary Coombs, who had twelve children by him. He married (second) Susanna ———, who died April 13, 1739, aged seventy years. Children, born at Kingston: William, June 1, 1691; Hannah, February 16, 1692; Jabez, February 8, 1693, died young; Daniel, 1694; Sarah, October 20, 1695; John, October 6, 1697; Benjamin, 1698; Francis, (q. v.); Elisha, about 1702; Mary, married Zachariah Souls; Elizabeth, married Cornelius Sturtevant; David, born about 1709.

TILLEY The surname Tilley is found in England as early as the Norman Conquest, and appears in the Domesday Book. The name was common also in France and Holland at an early date and is doubtless of Norman-French origin. The name is spelled in the ancient records,

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Richard Warren	of London; merchant
John Billington	of London
Mrs. Ellen Billington	
John Billington, Jr.	
Francis Billington	
Edward Tilley	of London
Mrs. Anne Tilley	
Henry Sampson	kinsman
Humility Cooper	kinswoman
John Tilley	of Saint Andrews Undershaft, London
Mrs. Elizabeth Tilley	
Elizabeth Tilley	
Francis Cooke	
John Cooke	
Thomas Rogers	
Joseph Rogers	
Thomas Tinker	
Mrs. ..... Tinker	
..... Tinker	
John Rigdale	of London
Mrs. Alice Rigdale	
James Chilton	of Canterbury, Kent; tailor
Mrs. ..... Chilton	
Mary Chilton	
Edward Fuller	of Redenhall, county Norfolk
Mrs. ..... Fuller	
Samuel Fuller	
John Turner	
..... Turner	
..... Turner	
Francis Eaton	of Bristol; carpenter
Mrs. Sarah Eaton	
Samuel Eaton	
Moses Fletcher	

Tillie, Tilly, Teley, Tiley, Tilee and Tely. We have at the present time the surname Tylee, probably of the same English stock.

Edward and John Tilley were among the passengers of the "Mayflower." Edward and his wife Ann both died in the spring of 1620-21. John brought his wife and daughter Elizabeth, and he and his wife also died early in 1621. The only descendants of these Pilgrim Tilleys are through John's daughter, who married John Howland. No person of the name Tilley can claim descent through these ancestors in the male line. There was another John Tilley in Dorchester who came in 1629; left no issue. William Tilley, of Barnstable and Boston, came from Little Minories, England, in the ship "Abigail," in June, 1636, left a daughter Sarah, but no sons that have been found on record. Others of the name came later. George and Elizabeth Tilly had children in Boston, 1727-1748, George, Mary, Elizabeth, Martha, George, William, John. Samuel and Eliphal had children in Boston, 1712-32, Samuel, Eliphal, Eliza, Lewis, William, William, Sarah. Thomas and Katherine Tiley had two children, Eliza, born February 1, 1718, Sarah, August 20, 1724. John and Eliza Tiley had, 1719-27, Eliza, John, Sarah, Lydia. These are probably related to Thomas Tilley who had by wife Hannah a son, Samuel Tilee, in Boston, May 1, 1657. This Samuel Tilee or Tiley had by wife Sarah: 1. John, born March 2, 1693. 2. Hannah, died March 15, 1694. 3. Sarah, born September 1, 1696. 4. William, born November 30, 1697. Whether this Boston family just described is related to that given below we have not learned. The facts of the early generations of this family are from an old genealogy of the Tilley family.

(I) John Tilley lived at or near Exeter, England. Among his children were: 1. William, mentioned below. 2. John, married and had children: John, who remained in England; Elinor, remained in England; William, the rope-maker, born in England, 1641, came to Boston in 1660, and lived on Milk street, near Cow Lane; established a large rope-walk, and Tilley's Wharf and Tilley's Lane were named for him; his wife Isabella died January 13, 1702, and he married (second) Abigail Woodmancy; after his death she married (second) October 19, 1718, Judge Samuel Sewell. He died at Boston in 1717; daughter Isabella married Eliezer Armitage and Grace married Jonas Clarke. From the similarity of names and place of residence of the families it is conjectured that Thomas Tilee was closely related to William, the ropemaker.

(II) William Tilley, son of John Tilley, lived at Exeter, England. He married and had children: 1. William, born about 168[illegible], came with his two brothers, John and James, to work for their cousin, William Tilley, the rope-maker, in Boston; married, in 173[illegible], Dorcas ———; removed to Newport, Rhode Island; son William, born October 19, 173[illegible]. 2. John, mentioned below. 3. James, born 1686; resided at New London, Connecticut, about 1718; gave ten pounds to the First Episcopal Church of New London; married, May 27, 1742, Hannah Savel, daughter of John Savel.

(III) John (2) Tilley, son of William Tilley, was born at Edford, England, about 178[illegible]-90. He came to Boston with his brothers, James and William, to work in the rope-walk of their cousin, William Tilley. He was in Boston about 1720; removed to New York state, where he married and had two sons, perhaps other children also. The name of his wife is unknown. Children: 1. Leonard, born 1730-40, in Brooklyn, New York, where he lived until his marriage, then moved to Granby, Massachusetts, and was progenitor of all of the name, without doubt, in western Massachusetts. 2. Samuel, mentioned below.

(IV) Samuel Tilley, son of John (2) Tilley, was born in Brooklyn, New York, about 1740, died in 1820, in the parish of Gagetown, Queen's county, New Brunswick, where he settled in 1783, leaving Brooklyn with the Loyalists. He married, 1765, Mary Morgan, of Brooklyn, and she died at Portland, New Brunswick, in 1834, aged eighty-four years. Children: James, mentioned below; Jacob; Elizabeth.

(V) James Tilley, son of Samuel Tilley, was born September 7, 1773, died November 23, 1850. He married Mary Chase, born April 7, 1776, died July 7, 1866. Children: Ann, Thomas M., James, mentioned below; Rebecca, Phebe, Samuel, Charles, Jacob.

(VI) James (2) Tilley, son of James (1) Tilley, was born in New Brunswick, February 24, 1798. He married, January 24, 182[illegible], Sarah Briggs. Among their children was Henry, mentioned below.

(VII) Henry Tilley, son of James (2) Tilley, was born at Sheffield, New Brunswick, 1824, died at Ashland, Maine, 1906. His father died in New Brunswick and he was the only child. He came to Maine before marriage and settled in Ashland, where he followed farming for three years. He removed to Castle Hill, where he owned a farm, was postmaster and kept a hotel until he was over seventy years old. He retired and spent the last years at Ashland. In politics he was a Democrat. He held various public offices in

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English Ancestry of Seven Mayflower Passengers: Tilley, Sampson and Cooper

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The list of passengers on the *Mayflower* given by Governor Bradford in *Of Plimoth Plantation* includes the following:

> Edward Tilley and Ann his wife, and two children that were their cousins, Henry Sampson and Humility Cooper
> John Tilley and his wife, and Elizabeth their daughter

In his further account of the passengers entitled "Increasings and Decreasings," apparently written early in 1651, he states:

> Edward Tilley and his wife both died soon after their arrival, and the girl Humility, their cousin, was sent for into England and died there. But the youth Henry Sampson is still living and is married and hath seven children.
> John Tilley and his wife both died a little after they came ashore. And their daughter Elizabeth married with John Howland and hath issue as is before noted.

Other authors have attempted to establish the English home of this seven-member family group. In the *New York Genealogical and Biographical Record* 35:213, 291, it was claimed that John[1] and Edward[1] Tilley were sons of Lawrence and Bridget Tilley of Shipton, co. Salop, but this identification was rejected by Col. Charles E. Banks in *The English Ancestry and Homes of the Pilgrim Fathers*, pp. 86-88. Banks himself found a marriage of a John Tilley and Elizabeth Comyngs, 2 Feb. 1605/6 in the parish of St. Andrew Undershaft, London, which he said *may* be the marriage of the *Mayflower* passengers. Others have accepted this as proof, but Francis R. Stoddard, in *The Truth About the Pilgrims*, p. 153, states with laudable caution that John[1] Tilley of the *Mayflower* "was apparently the one who was married to Elizabeth Comyngs."

Recently information has come to light which shows conclusively that this is also incorrect, and that this family group originated in the parish of Henlow, co. Bedford. Descent from the Wheeler family of Bedfordshire led me to examine F. G. Emmison's 44-volume series, *Bedfordshire Parish Registers*, which include more than ninety parishes. While reading the register of Henlow in vol. 26 I found the marriage of Edward Tillie and Agnes Cooper, on 20 June 1614. This rang a strong bell, in view of Banks's assertion that Humility[1] Cooper was related to Edward[1] Tilley's wife Ann. Further investigation revealed the information below and firmly established that these were the *Mayflower* passengers.

Let us consider the family names in question in four groups: Tilley and others, Hurst and others, Cooper and others, and Sampson and others. The Henlow parish register begins in 1559 and the Bishop's Transcripts in 1602.

I. Tilley and others

Henlow Parish Register and Bishop's Transcripts

Baptisms

TILLEY:

1574	Dec. 19	John, s. Robert Tillye
1574	May 8	Rose, d. Robert Tillye
1576[/7]	Jan 26	George, s. Robert Tillye
1579[/80]	Mar 6	Agnes, d. Robert Tillye
1582[/3]	Jan 26	Elizabeth, d. Robert Tillye
1585	Sep 1	William, s. Robert Tyllye, yeoman
1588	May 27	Edmond, s. Robert Tilly
1590[/1]	Feb 28	Alice, d. Robert Tillie
1597	Oct 23	Rose, d. John Tilly
1599	Aug 26	John, s. John Tyllye, husbandman
1601[/2]	Feb 28	Rose, d. John Tyllye, husbandman
1604	Nov 25	Robert, s. John & Joan Tylly
1607	Aug 30	Elizabeth, d. John & Joan Tilly
1614	Oct 20	Ann, d. William & Elizabeth Tilly
1616	Nov 17	Elizabeth, d. William Tilly
1619	Dec 5	Edward, s. William & Elizabeth Tilly
1622	Apr 3	Elizabeth, d. William & Elizabeth Tilly

ARD
1571 Dec 2 John, s. William Warde, tailor
1576 May 3 Michael, s. William Warde
1578 June 15 Agnes, d. William Warde

NCNG
1580 Nov 20 John, s. Thomas Younge
1584 Sep 6 Robert, s. same

STIN alias KENT
1587[/8] Feb 11 Richard, s. William Kent alias Austin
1609 Jun 11 Elizabeth, d. Richard & Elizabeth Austin
1611 Jun 2 Ann, d. Richard & Elizabeth Auson
1613 Aug 22 Agnes, d. Richard & Elizabeth Ason

arriages

TILLEY
1596 Sep 20 John Tyly & Joan Rogers
1599 Jun 24 John Goods & Rose Tillie
1608 Dec 15 Richard Austine, widower & Elizabeth Tylly, both of Henlow
1612 Nov 11 William Tillie & Elizabeth Peppitt
1614 Jun 20 Edward Tillie & Agnes Cooper
1635 Nov 12 Robert Goare & Elizabeth Tilley

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TILLEY
1578[/9] Jan 21 William Tyllye, husbandman
1582 Jun 7 Agnes Tyllye, widow, an old woman
1597 Jul 29 Alice, d. Robert Tillie
1614 Mar 27 Elizabeth Tillie, widow
1624[/5] Jan 18 William Tilly

NCNG
1585 May 5 Mary, w. Thomas Younge, "a vertuous woman was she, & dyed a good death"
1622 May 23 Joan, w. Thomas Young
1628 Apr 26 Thomas Young
1632 Apr 13 Ann Yong, widow

SHEFFIELD
1574 Jul 12 John, s. William Sheffielde
1576 Aug 24 William, s. William Sheffeild
1578 Dec 30 Agnes, d. same
1578[/9] Jan 17 Agnes, d. same [dupe?]

HUCKLE
1560[/1] Mar 23 Frances, [d.] Richard
1565 Aug 26 William, s. same
1570[/1] Jan 19 Thomas, s. same
1574 Apr 11 Joan, d. same

YOUNG
1588 Nov 11 Thomas Younge, Jun. & Joan Petchett
1623 Jul 12 Thomas Young & Agnes Fentiman widow

AUSTIN alias KENT
1651 Jun 30 Richard Fordam & Elizabeth Asten

WARD
1574[/5] Jan 11 John, s. William Warde
1578[/9] Feb 6 William Ward, tailor "vir honestus"
1596 Sep 25 Agnes, d. William Warde, tailor

HUCKLE
1590 May 11 Richard Huckle, an old man

AUSTIN alias KENT
1624[/5] Feb 20 Widow Aston

GORE
1630 Sep 17 Ann, w. Robert Gore
1639 Jun 14 Robert Goare

OBATE RECORDS, ARCHDEACONRY COURT OF BEDFORD

I. Will of Henry Tilly, Archdeaconry of Bedford 2:163: In the name of god amen. The ere of o^{r} lord ye [m]ccccxx the first day of the moneth of Septeber, I Henry Tilly f Henlow in the com. of Bed. in the dioc. of Lincoln hole of mynd and remembrance make y testament in this man^{r}. First I bequeth my sowle to almyghty god o^{r} lady and all he company of hevyn my bodie to be buryyd in the church yard of Henlow. Item I bequeth y best good for my mortuary after the custome of the towne. Item I bequeth to the high uiter of Henlow ii busshellys barley. Also I bequeth to the bellys in the sayd church ii busshellys barley. Item I bequeth to the gild prest of o^{r} lady in the said church f Henlow i part f[ ]e to syng specially for me and my frends and generally for all he bretherne and sustunance of the same gild xxviii s. iiii d. if thir be none b[r]otherhed prest then an other honest prest to have the sayd part f[ ]e. Item I bequeth to the children of Thomas Tilly my Sonne ech of them the out see of a cow of x annas. Item I bequeth my place to Johan my wiff terme of her liff after the decease of her I bequeth it to Willm Tilly my sonne if they both consent to selle the sayd place I will that Thomas Tilly my sonne by it byfore any other payying asmoch as a nother man will. If William my sonne decease wthout Issue byfore the sayd place be sold then I will it to be sold and have a prest to pray for me and my frends whill the money lasteth. The residu of my goods my detts payd and all thyng done I bequeth them to Johan my wiff and Willm Tilly my sonne whome I make and order myy executors. Also I ordayn Thomas Tilly my sonne supervisor. provyn at Henlow the day and yere aforesayd. Witnes hereof Jon Underwood, Willm March, Ser Albert, Bisshopp Wothen. [Proved 4 Dec. 1520 by William Tilly, executor.]

2. Will of Thomas Tylle, Archdeaconry of Bedford 13:29 f.: In the name of god amen. the yere of o^{r} lord god 1556 & the xxi^{ti} day of august. I Thomas Tylle of Henlowe in the county of Bedf. being of hole mynd and memory p[rai]se be god mke this my last will and testament in man^{r} and foame followinge. First I bequeth my sowle to almighty god & Lord & saint marye and all the holly company of heaven and my bodye to be buried in the parish church yard of henlow beforesaid. It. I bequeth to o^{r} mothers church of Lincoln of Lincoln [sic] iiii d. It. to the high ault^{r} of henlowe iiii d. for tythes forgotten iiii d. It. I gyve and bequeth to agnes my daugh^{r} ii bishels of barlye & I give to every child that ye said agnes hath els half a bushell of barlye. It. I gyve and bequeth unto Margaret my wyfe the howse that I dwell in wth all Lands medowes and pastures and pfects thernto in any wyse appertayning and belonging aft^{r} any man^{r} and sort as I had the same t ye making hereofe during her naturall lyfe & aft^{r} her I will the said howse wth thappten ces therto appertanynge remaine unto will^{m} Tyle my sone and to ye heyres of ye said Willm for ev^{r}. It. I will the said m'geret shall occupie the said land according to certeyn covenants made in writings betwixt me & the said Willm as yet unsealed. It. the rest of my goods moveabell my debts paid & the legacies conteyned in this my last will performed I give and bequeth unto M^{r}geret mt wyfe during her naturall lyfe & aft^{d} I will the said goods remain to Willm my sone the wch M^{r}geret & Willm I order and make my faithfull executors for the true performing of this my last will & testament & Jhon Sayres supervisor. Thes being wytnes desired by ye testator James torn^{r} vicar there, Jhon Deds, wth others. [Proved 6 Oct. 1556.]

3. Will of Willyam Tylle, Archdeaconry of Bedford, 19:86 f.: In the name of god Amen: The firste of January A^{O} dm̄ 1578: I Willyam Tylle of Henlowe in the countie of Beddforde husbandman, sicke of bodie but whole of minde, thanckes be unto god, doe ordaine and make this my laste will and testament, in manner & fourme followinge: Firste I committ my soule to allmightie god, and my bodie to be buried in the church yarde of Henlowe aforesaide: Imprimis I give to Robert Tille my sonne, twoe bullockes, & to John his sonne, one bullocke: Item I give unto Willyam Warde, my sonne in lawe, twoe bullockes, one yearelinge, & an other twoe yeares oulde: Item I give unto Willyam Sheffeilde my sonne in lawe, a cowe bullocke & a bullchime. Item I will that Willyam Sheffeilde shall have his bargaine, in my lande from that time he beganne untill three yeares be expired: Item I give unto every one of Robert Tylles children, twoe sheepe a peese & to him selfe fower sheepe: Item I give unto Agnes Warde two sheepe: Item I give unto Willyam Sheffeildes children, twoe sheepe a peece, that is to saie John Willyam and Agnes: Item I give unto Robert Tille my sonne six quarters of malte, and to his three children a quarter a peece: Item I give unto Agnes Warde a quarter of malte: Item I give unto Willyam Sheffeilde iii l vi s. viii d. of money, that he oweth me if god take me out of this worlde att this present time. Item I give unto Willyam Sheffeilde, one quarter of malte: I give unto Mary my daughter, one quarter of malte, allsoe Agnes my wife must have of Willyam Sheffeilde, my sonne in lawe every yeare, as longe as he houldes my lande, five acres of barley and five acres of pease, every yeare & my wife to finde seede to sowe it with all: Item I give unto Richard Huckle, a quarter of barley, and to every one of his children, a bushel of pease. Item I give unto John Waller & to Margaret Waller twoe bushells of barley a peece. Item I give unto Agnes my wife all my howseholde: Item I give to the repaire of Collington haven ii d. Item I give to Agnes my wife tenn quarters of barley: Item I give to Robert Tille my sonne fower quarters of barley. Item I give unto Willyam Warde a quarter of barley: Item I give unto Willyam Sheffeikde twoe quarters of barley: I Item I give unto Robert Tille my sonne, six bushels of pease, & halfe a quarter of bullymunge. Item I give to Willyam Sheffeilde a quarter of bullimunge: Item I give unto Robert Tille my sonne one hogge: Item I give unto Willyam Sheffeilde one hogge: Item to Willyam Warde one hogge and Agnes my wife to have twoe hogges and a sowe: Item I give unto Mary Farr one sheepe: Item I give into Willyam Huckle a sheepe and I will that all theise portions shall be answered ymmediatly after my deathe: Item I give unto Agnes my wife fower quarters of malte: the reste of my goodes moveables & unmoveables unbequeathed I give unto Agnes my wife, & Robert my sonne, whome I make my sole executors of this my last will & testamente written in the presence of Thomas Underwood, Willyam Elborne, Thomas Younge, Charles Browne. [Proved 28 Jan. 1578.]

4. Will of Agnes Tille, Archdeaconry of Bedford 20:80 f.: In the name of god Amen: The firste daie of June in the yeare of our lorde god 1582: I Agnes Tylle of Henlowe, in the countie of Beddforde widowe being sicke in bodie, butt of good & perfecte remembrance, thancke be given to god, doe ordaine & make this my testament and laste will, in manner followinge: First & principally I bequeathe my soule, into the handes of allmightie god my maker and redeemer, and my bodie, to be buried in the churcheyarde of Henlowe aforesaide: Item I give to Tho: Younge my sonne in lawe, one cowe, one hogge, the greatest kettle, the newe coverlett, that I laste boughte, one pillowe, with the pillowe beare, one paire of sheetes, & a peticoate, the greatest cheste save one, the greatest posenett, & one sheepe and a lambe: Item I give to

Agnes Warde, the daughter of Willyam Warde, a coffer paineted with redd, a little rownde table a pillowe with the pillowe beare, & one quarter of barley: Item I give to Richard Huckle my sonne in lawe and my daughter Elizabeth his wife, one frocke, the youngest cowe, that I laste boughte, one mattrice and the coverlett of Darimpe, wch commonly lyeth on my bedd, my cupboarde & cupboard cloathe, one ewe, one paire of sheetes, and a boultinge tubbe, the brewing kettle and the least posenett, the benche boarde, one sheete & a platter, twoe bushells of barley and ii s. of currant money of Englande: Item I give to Willyam Sheffeilde my sonne in lawe and Alice his wife the youngest cowe beinge blacke, my featherbedd, and coverlett, of cleane woolle of tapistry worke, one boulster twoe round pannes, one peticoate, one paire of sheetes the greatest cheste, the morter and the saltinge troffe. Item I give to John Harwood one sheete one bushell of barley my working daie peticoate, and my fustian waisecoate and one smocke: Item I give to Robert Sam, my late servant, the ould coverlett, that useth to lye on my bedd. Item I give to Willyam Poulter of Hitchme x s, of currant money of Englande: Item I give to Robert Porye of Henlowe one good sheepe: Item I give to my sonne Robert Tille & John Tille his sonne vi s. viii d. the peece: Item I give to George Tille, Rose Tille and Agnes Tille, Robert Tilles children, the elldest of my black kyne, to be soulde, & to be equally divided betweene them, and the next calfe of the saide cowe when god shall send it. I will it to be given to Mary Farre, my sonne Robert Tilles wifes daughter: Item I give to the churche of Henlowe aforesaide xii d. and to Collington haven ii d. Item I give more to Richard Huckle my saide sonne in lawe xx s. of currant money of Englande, and one acre of my pease, & one acre of my barley if the same be sowed in the feildes att the daye of my decease or else to have his parte in so muche as shall be sowen accordinge to the rate of one parte, in three partes in all the saide pease & barley, wch to my parte belongethe. Item the rest of my pease & Barley and the debtes to me owinge, as all other my goodes & cattells hearein unbequeathed, I give them to Thomas Younge & Willyam Sheffeilde my saide sonnes in lawe, equally to be devided betweene them, whome allsoe the same Thomas Younge & Willyam Sheffeilde I make my executors to this my testament & laste will, they to see my debtes paide, theise my legacies fullfilled, & my funerall expence dischardged: Item I ordaine for supervisors heareof John Rushe yeoman, my trustie freinde, for whose paines thearein to be taken, I give vi s. viii d. Item my will is that theise my aforenamed giftes, legacies & bequestes to be paide & perfourmed ymmediatly after my decease except the money wch hearein I have bequeathed, I will it to be given within nine monethes after my decease. Witnesses Antony Coxe, Tho: Farre, Anne Britton, Robt Pory. [Proved 13 July 1582.]

5. Will of Robert Tilley, Archdeaconry of Bedford 30:73 f.: In the name of god Amen: I Robert Tilley of Henlowe in the countie of Bedd: yeoman sicke in bodie but whole and of good and perfect remembrance, thankes be given to god therefore, doe this 31th daie of December A^o 1612 renounce and revoake all former willes by me hearebefore made, and doe nowe make and ordaine, this my laste will and testament in manner and forme followinge that is to saie: First I bequeathe my soule to allmightie god my maker, and to Jesus Christe his sonne my reedemer, by whose deathe and passion I hope to be saved and my bodie to be buried att the discretion of my executrix: Secondlie I give and bequeathe unto Elizabeth nowe my wife, for and duringe her natturall life, my free house whearein I dwell, with the backe side, ortchards, and garden. with the appurtenances thereunto belonginge with a little stripe or platte of grounde, whereon sometimes did stande a barne, wch Willyam Tilley purchased of one Richard Huckle as by a deede thereof made betweene them appeareth and froam and after her deathe, I will and bequeathe the saide freehouse, with the ortcharde, garden, and all other the premisses aforesaide, withe the appurtenances to my sonne John Tilleye; to have and to holde to him and his heires for ever, with and uppon this Condition nevertheless viz.: that he my saide sonne John shall within six monethes next after the decease of me the saide Robert, and Elizabeth nowe my wife, paie unto my sonne Edward Tilley his brother, his executors or assignes, the some of thirtie poundes of lawfull englishe money: and if my saide sonne John shall make defaulte of payment of the saide thirtie poundes and nott paie the some unto my sonne Edward Tilley his executors or assignes, att or before the time aforesaide, then my will and minde is, and I doe hearebie give and bequeathe the saide freehouse and other the premisses aforesaide with the appurtenances unto my said sonne Edwarde, and his heires for ever: Item I doe moreover give and bequeath to my saide sonne Edwarde, the some of fortie and nine poundes of lawfull englishe money wch is to be paide unto me by my saide sonne John att such daies and place as by the bondes thereof appeareth togeather with the saide bondes of obligations themselves nowe remaynine, in my own custodie, the wch my will is, my executrix shall presentlie deliver unto him my saide sonne Edwarde, after my deathe and suffer him to see the same in her name, if defaulte of payment be made of the saide money att the tyme specified in the saide bondes or obligations: allsoe I give unto my saide sonne Edwarde, the [ ]lyned beddsteede

in the outermoste chamber, and the [ ]lyned cheste, standinge in the same chamber, I give to my sonne William Tilley, bothe wch bedsteede & cheste are to be delivered unto them severallie, after my wifes decease, unless she shall thincke good to lett them have the same before: Item I give to my daughter Rose x s. and to everie one of her children a sheepe: Item I give to my daughter Elizabethe x s. and to everie one of her children a sheepe: Item I give to everie one of my sonne Johns children a sheepe: All the rest and residewe of my goodes cattell and chattells whatsoever unbequeathed, my debtes paide and my funerall expences dischardged, I give and bequeathe to Elizabethe my wife, whome I doe make and appointe my sole executrix of this my laste will and testament, and I doe make and appointe my lovinge frende Mr. Richarde Edwardes of Henlowe aforesaide gent. to be my overseer of this my will intreatinge him to aide and assiste my saide executrix, with his councell and advise in the due execution heareof to whome I give x s. as a token of my love and goodwill unto him: In witnes whereof I have heareunto sett my hande and seale, the daie and yeare first above written. Witnesses John Willisone, Edmonde Master, Leonard Bonefeilde, George Edwardes. [Proved 6 April 1612.]

6. Abstract of the will of Willyam Warde, Archdeacony of Bedford 19:111: Willyam Warde, Taylour, of Henlowe, 4 Feb. 1578[/9]; to dau. Agnes Warde at age 16, household goods; wife Mary Warde, executrix; brother Robert Tilley, overseer; to Collington Haven £2. Witnesses: John Morgan, clerk; Robert Tilley Willyam Sheffeilde. Probated 25 Sept. 1579.

Using the above records, we construct the following hypothetical family groupings:

1. Henry[D] Tilly, of Henlow, b. say 1465; will dated 1 Sept. 1520, proved 4 Dec. 1520. He m. Johan ---- who was living in 1520. They were the earliest generation of this family discovered.

Children, from his will:

2 i. Thomas[C], b. say 1490, d. 1556.

ii. William, b. say 1495, executor of father's will, 4 Dec. 1520, then apparently unm.

2. Thomas[C] Tilly (Henry[D]), of Henlow, b. say 1490, will dated 21 Aug. 1556, proved 6 Oct. 1556. He m. Margaret ----- who was living in 1556. His unnamed children were mentioned in his father's will in 1520.

Children, from his will:

i. Agnes, b. say 1510, apparently m. and having issue by 1556.

3 ii. William[B], b. say 1515, d. ca. 1579.

3. William[B] Tylle (Thomas[C], Henry[D]), of Henlow, husbandman, b. say 1515, bur. 21 Jan. 1578/9, Henlow; will dated 1 Jan. 1578/9, proved 28 Jan. 1578/9. He m. Agnes -----, bur. Henlow, 7 June 1582, "an old woman," will dated 1 June 1582, proved 13 July 1582.

Children, from both wills:

i. Elizabeth, b. say 1535, possibly a daughter of Agnes by a previous husband, as she is not mentioned in the will of William Tylle, yet is in Agnes Tylle's will; m. before 1559, Richard Huckle, who perhaps was bur. 11 May 1590 at Henlow, "an old man." His unnamed children are mentioned in the will of William Tylle in 1578/9, as is he, but no relationship is specified.

Children (surnamed Huckle):

a. Thomas, bur. 25 June 1559, Henlow.

b. Frances, bapt. 23 March 1560/1, Henlow.

c. William, bapt. 26 Aug. 1565, Henlow, mentioned in William Tylle's will, 1578/9.

d. Thomas, bapt. 19 Jan. 1570/1, Henlow.

e. Joan, bapt. 11 April 1574, Henlow.

4 ii. Robert[A], b. say 1540, d. 1612/3.

iii. Mary, b. say 1545; bur. Henlow, 5 May 1585, "a vertuous woman was she, and dyed an good death"; m. before 1571, (1) William Warde, tailor, of Henlow (bur. 6 Feb. 1578/9, Henlow, "vir honestus"; (2) ca. 1579, Thomas Younge, stinger [i.e. stringer, a bowstring maker], of Henlow (bur. 26 April 1628, Henlow). Thomas Young m. (2) at Henlow, 19 Jan. 1588/9, Joan Petchett, and (3) at Henlow, 12 July 1623, widow Agnes (Packer) Fentiman.

Children (surnamed Warde):

a. John, bapt. Henlow, 2 Dec. 1571, bur. there, 11 Jan. 1574/5.

b. Michael, bapt. Henlow, 3 May 1576, apparently d. y.

c. Agnes, bapt. Henlow, 15 June 1578, bur. there, 25 Sept. 1596, prominently mentioned in the wills of her maternal grandparents.

iv. Alice, b. say 1550; m. before 1574, William Sheffield.

Children (surnamed Sheffield):

a. John, bapt. Henlow, 12 July 1574.

b. William, bapt. Henlow, 24 Aug. 1576.

c. Agnes, bapt. Henlow, 30 Dec. 1578, also recorded as 17 Jan. 1578/9.

4. Robert[A] Tilley (William[B], Thomas[C], Henry[D]) of Henlow, yeoman, b. say 1540, bur. Henlow, 21 Feb. 1612/3; will dated 31 Dec. 1612, proved 6 April 1612 [sic: should be 1613]. He m. ca. 1570, Elizabeth -----, bur. Henlow, 17 March 1614. She had a daughter, Mary Farr, mentioned in Agnes Tylle's will, 1582, and William Tylle's will, 1578/9, whose baptism does not appear in the Henlow registers, and who is not mentioned in Robert Tilley's will, 1612. Robert was executor of the will of William Ellborne of Henlow, shearman, dated 16 Jan. 1587/8, proved 1 Oct. 1588 (Archdeaconry of Bedford C:55).

Children:

§ i. John[1], bapt. Henlow, 19 Dec. 1571, d. Plymouth, Mass., 1621.

ii. Rose, bapt. Henlow, 8 May 1574; m. Henlow, 24 June 1599, John Goods. No children recorded at Henlow.

iii. George, bapt. Henlow, 26 Jan. 1576/7, living 1582, d. before 1612.

iv. Agnes, bapt. Henlow, 6 March 1579/80, living 1582, d. before 1612.

v. Elizabeth, bapt. Henlow, 26 Jan. 1582/3, living 1612, possibly bur. 20 Feb. 1624/5 Henlow; probably m. Henlow, 15 Dec. 1608, Richard Austin, widower, bapt. Henlow, 11 Feb. 1587/8, son of William and Mary (Bromeham) Austin *alias* Kent.

Children (surnamed Austin):

a. Elizabeth, bapt. Henlow, 11 June 1609.

b. Ann, bapt. Henlow, 2 June 1611.

c. Agnes, bapt. Henlow, 22 Aug. 1613.

§ vi. William, bapt. Henlow, 1 Sept. 1585, bur. there 18 Jan. 1624/5.

§ vii. Edward[1], bapt, Henlow, as Edmond, 27 May 1588, d. Plymouth, Mass. 1621.

viii. Alice, bapt. Henlow, 28 Feb. 1590/1, bur. there 29 July 1597.

5. John[1] Tilley (Robert[A], William[B], Thomas[C], Henry[D]), bapt. at Henlow, 19 Dec. 1571, he m. 20 Sept. 1596, at Henlow, Joan[1] Hurst, widow of Thomas Rogers (see below). Both came on the *Mayflower* in 1620 and died in the general sickness during the first winter. The given name of John Tilley's wife is not recorded in American records. Banks (*loc. cit.*) mentions a deposition of one John Tilley, yeoman, of Wootton, co. Bedford, in 1613, aged 40 years (Chanc. Deps. T. 5/16), which is very likely this man. [Joan's first husband was, of course, not the *Mayflower* passenger.]

Children:

i. Rose, bapt. Henlow, 23 Oct. 1597, apparently d. y.

ii. John, bapt. Henlow, 26 Aug. 1599.

iii. Rose, bapt. Henlow, 28 Feb. 1601/2.

iv. Robert, bapt. Henlow, 25 Nov. 1604.

v. Elizabeth , bapt. Henlow, 30 Aug. 1607, d. 21 Feb. 1687/8, aged 80, Swansea, Mass.; m. ca. 1625, John Howland of the *Mayflower,* d. 23 Feb. 1672/3. Eleven children and many descendants. Her will dated 17 Dec. 1686 says "being seventy nine yeares of Age." She was the only child of her parents recorded as coming to America with them.

6. William Tilley (Robert[A], William[B], Thomas[C], Henry[D]) of Henlow, baptized there 1 Sept. 1585, bur. there 18 Jan. 1624/5, married there 11 Nov. 1612, Elizabeth Peppitt, who perhaps m. (2) as second wife, at Henlow, 12 Nov. 1635, Robert Goare (bur. 14 June 1639 at Henlow). Her surname does not occur elsewhere in the Henlow registers unless it be a corruption of Petchett.

Children:

i. Ann, bapt. Henlow, 20 Oct. 1614.

ii. Elizabeth, bapt. Henlow, 17 Nov. 1616, apparently d. y.

iii. Edward, bapt. Henlow, 5 Dec. 1619.

iv. Elizabeth, bapt. Henlow, 3 April 1622.

7. Edward[1] Tillie (Robert[A], William[B], Thomas[C], Henry[D]), of Henlow, bapt. there as Edmond 27 May 1588. He m. there 20 June 1614 Agnes Cooper (see below). They came on the *Mayflower* in 1620 with her "cousins" Henry[1] Sampson and Humility[1] Cooper. Both of the Tillies died in the general sickness during the first winter at Plymouth, Mass. No children are recorded at Henlow or elsewhere, so far as discovered.

II. Hurst and Others

Henlow Parish Registers and Bishop's Transcripts

Baptisms